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name: <unnamed>
log: D:\Research\Group contest\Analysis\Group_Contest.smcl
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1 . /* This file contains replication code for Chopra, Nguyen, and Vossler "Who are we u
> p against? Heterogeneous group contests with incomplete information" */
2 . /* The associated data file is "Group_Contest.dta" */
3 . /* If you have comments or questions, contact Christian Vossler (cvossler@utk.edu) *
> /
4 . /* March 2025 */
5 .
6 . // User-defined Stata commands employed: "outreg", "reghdfe". You will need to insta
> ll these for all the code to run properly.
7 . // e.g., just type "help outreg" in the Stata command line to begin this process
8 .
9 . /* SET DIRECTORY */
10. clear all

11. cd "D:\Research\Group contest\Analysis"
D:\Research\Group contest\Analysis

12.
13. /* LOAD DATA */
14. use "Group_Contest.dta"

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16. /* create sampling weights */
17. //Group-level observations, all rounds
18. gen wt_g=.
    (7,200 missing values generated)

19. replace wt_g = 136/112 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
    (672 real changes made)

20. replace wt_g = 68/48 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
    (432 real changes made)

21. replace wt_g = 68/112 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
    (336 real changes made)

22. replace wt_g = 140/140 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
    (420 real changes made)

23. replace wt_g = 70/64 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
    (192 real changes made)

24. replace wt_g = 70/76 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
    (228 real changes made)

25. replace wt_g = 180/170 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
    (510 real changes made)

26. replace wt_g = 90/102 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
    (306 real changes made)

27. replace wt_g = 90/88 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
    (264 real changes made)

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28. replace wt_g = 138/102 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
    (918 real changes made)
29. replace wt_g = 138/174 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
    (522 real changes made)
30. replace wt_g = 220/236 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
    (708 real changes made)
31. replace wt_g = 220/204 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
    (612 real changes made)
32. replace wt_g = 180/177 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
    (531 real changes made)
33. replace wt_g = 180/183 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
    (549 real changes made)
34. //Individual-level observations, all rounds
35. gen wt_i=.
    (7,200 missing values generated)
36. replace wt_i= wt_g if Cost_t==1 | Value_t==1
    (4,320 real changes made)
37. replace wt_i= 540/504 if Group_t==1 & Uneven==1 & Strong==1
    (504 real changes made)
38. replace wt_i= 180/168 if Group_t==1 & Uneven==1 & Strong==0
    (168 real changes made)
39. replace wt_i= 540/432 if Group_t==1 & Even==1 & Strong==1
    (432 real changes made)
40. replace wt_i= 180/336 if Group_t==1 & Even==1 & Strong==0
    (336 real changes made)
41. replace wt_i= 1080/918 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
    (918 real changes made)
42. replace wt_i= 360/522 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
    (522 real changes made)
43. //Group-level observations, last 10 rounds
44. gen wt_g10=.
    (7,200 missing values generated)
45. replace wt_g10 = 65/50 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
    (672 real changes made)
46. replace wt_g10 = 32.5/30 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
    (432 real changes made)
47. replace wt_g10 = 32.5/50 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
    (336 real changes made)
48. replace wt_g10 = 70/66 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
    (420 real changes made)
49. replace wt_g10 = 35/32 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
    (192 real changes made)
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50. replace wt_g10 = 35/42 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
(228 real changes made)

51. replace wt_g10 = 90/86 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
(510 real changes made)

52. replace wt_g10 = 45/48 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
(306 real changes made)

53. replace wt_g10 = 45/46 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
(264 real changes made)

54. replace wt_g10 = 70/50 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
(918 real changes made)

55. replace wt_g10 = 70/90 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
(522 real changes made)

56. replace wt_g10 = 138/102 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
(708 real changes made)

57. replace wt_g10 = 138/174 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
(612 real changes made)

58. replace wt_g10 = 90/92 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
(531 real changes made)

59. replace wt_g10 = 90/88 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
(549 real changes made)

60. //Individual-level observations, last 19 rounds
61. gen wt_i19=.
(7,200 missing values generated)

62. replace wt_i19= 513/468 if Group_t==1 & Uneven==1 & Strong==1
(504 real changes made)

63. replace wt_i19= 171/156 if Group_t==1 & Uneven==1 & Strong==0
(168 real changes made)

64. replace wt_i19= 513/432 if Group_t==1 & Even==1 & Strong==1
(432 real changes made)

65. replace wt_i19= 171/312 if Group_t==1 & Even==1 & Strong==0
(336 real changes made)

66. replace wt_i19 = 399/402 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
(420 real changes made)

67. replace wt_i19 = 199.5/186 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
(192 real changes made)

68. replace wt_i19 = 199.5/210 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
(228 real changes made)

69. replace wt_i19 = 513/480 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
(510 real changes made)

70. replace wt_i19 = 256.5/282 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
(306 real changes made)
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71. replace wt_i19 = 256.5/264 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
(264 real changes made)

72. replace wt_i19 = 1026/882 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
(918 real changes made)

73. replace wt_i19 = 342/486 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
(522 real changes made)

74. replace wt_i19 = 627/672 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
(708 real changes made)

75. replace wt_i19 = 627/582 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
(612 real changes made)

76. replace wt_i19 = 513/501 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
(531 real changes made)

77. replace wt_i19 = 513/525 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
(549 real changes made)

78. //Group-level observations, pre-pandemic
79. gen wt_pp=.
(7,200 missing values generated)

80. replace wt_pp = 102/84 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
(672 real changes made)

81. replace wt_pp = 51/36 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
(432 real changes made)

82. replace wt_pp = 51/84 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
(336 real changes made)

83. replace wt_pp = 140/140 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
(420 real changes made)

84. replace wt_pp = 70/64 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
(192 real changes made)

85. replace wt_pp = 70/76 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
(228 real changes made)

86. replace wt_pp = 180/170 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==0
(510 real changes made)

87. replace wt_pp = 90/102 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==1
(306 real changes made)

88. replace wt_pp = 90/88 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==0 & Even==1 & Strong==0
(264 real changes made)

89. replace wt_pp = 102/78 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
(918 real changes made)

90. replace wt_pp = 102/126 if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
(522 real changes made)

91. replace wt_pp = 220/236 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
(708 real changes made)
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92. replace wt_pp = 220/204 if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
    (612 real changes made)

93. replace wt_pp = 180/177 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1
    (531 real changes made)

94. replace wt_pp = 180/183 if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0
    (549 real changes made)

95. //label weight variables
96. label var wt_g "Sampling weights; group-level outcomes; all 20 rounds"

97. label var wt_i "Sampling weights; individual-level outcomes; all 20 rounds"

98. label var wt_g10 "Sampling weights; group-level outcomes; last 10 rounds"

99. label var wt_i19 "Sampling weights; individual-level outcomes; last 19 rounds"

100 label var wt_pp "Sampling weights; group-level outcomes; pre-pandemic"

101
102 /* Define cluster variables */
103 gen cluster1=1 if (Round==1|Round==2)
    (6,480 missing values generated)

104 replace cluster1=2 if (Round==3|Round==4)
    (720 real changes made)

105 replace cluster1=3 if (Round==5|Round==6)
    (720 real changes made)

106 replace cluster1=4 if (Round==7|Round==8)
    (720 real changes made)

107 replace cluster1=5 if (Round==9|Round==10)
    (720 real changes made)

108 replace cluster1=6 if (Round==11|Round==12)
    (720 real changes made)

109 replace cluster1=7 if (Round==13|Round==14)
    (720 real changes made)

110 replace cluster1=8 if (Round==15|Round==16)
    (720 real changes made)

111 replace cluster1=9 if (Round==17|Round==18)
    (720 real changes made)

112 replace cluster1=10 if (Round==19|Round==20)
    (720 real changes made)

113 replace cluster1=cluster1 + (SessionID-1)*10 // maintains independence across sessio
    > ns
    (6,960 real changes made)

114 gen cluster2=1 if (Round==1)
    (6,840 missing values generated)

115 replace cluster2=2 if (Round==2|Round==3)
    (720 real changes made)
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116 replace cluster2=3 if (Round==4|Round==5)
    (720 real changes made)
117 replace cluster2=4 if (Round==6|Round==7)
    (720 real changes made)
118 replace cluster2=5 if (Round==8|Round==9)
    (720 real changes made)
119 replace cluster2=6 if (Round==10|Round==11)
    (720 real changes made)
120 replace cluster2=7 if (Round==12|Round==13)
    (720 real changes made)
121 replace cluster2=8 if (Round==14|Round==15)
    (720 real changes made)
122 replace cluster2=9 if (Round==16|Round==17)
    (720 real changes made)
123 replace cluster2=10 if (Round==18|Round==19)
    (720 real changes made)
124 replace cluster2=11 if (Round==20)
    (360 real changes made)
125 replace cluster2=cluster2 + (SessionID-1)*11 // maintains independence across sessio
    > ns
    (6,960 real changes made)

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128 ** Table 4: Theoretical predictions and observed group-level effort
129 // row 1
130 sum GroupEffort if Cost_t==1 & Uneven== 1 & Strong==1 & id==1 // 75.04

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Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	70	75.04286	32.27753	5	140

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131 sum GroupEffort if Cost_t==1 & Uneven== 1 & Strong==0 & id==1 // 20.1

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Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	70	20.1	19.75587	0	80

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132 // row 2
133 sum GroupEffort if Cost_t==1 & Even== 1 & Strong==1 & id==1 // 80.80

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Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	64	80.79688	35.07913	6	150

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134 sum GroupEffort if Cost_t==1 & Even== 1 & Strong==0 & id==1 // 49.43

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Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	76	49.43421	29.47421	1	126

135 // row 3

136 sum GroupEffort if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1 & id==1 // 89.27

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	236	89.27119	27.01935	24	140

137 sum GroupEffort if Cost_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0 & id==1 // 42.49

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	204	42.4902	25.00414	1	115

138 // row 4

139 sum GroupEffort if Value_t==1 & Uneven==1 & Strong==1 & id==1 // 70.69

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	85	70.69412	27.01235	10	125

140 sum GroupEffort if Value_t==1 & Uneven==1 & Strong==0 & id==1 // 27.05

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	85	27.04706	22.18263	0	88

141 // row 5

142 sum GroupEffort if Value_t==1 & Even==1 & Strong==1 & id==1 // 76.84

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	102	76.84314	29.97713	1	140

143 sum GroupEffort if Value_t==1 & Even==1 & Strong==0 & id==1 // 43.73

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	88	43.72727	26.15239	0	135

144 // row 6

145 sum GroupEffort if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1 & id==1 // 84.85

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	177	84.84746	31.69195	13	150

146 sum GroupEffort if Value_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0 & id==1 // 51.69

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	183	51.68852	29.68879	0	135

147 // row 7

148 sum GroupEffort if Group_t==1 & Uneven==1 & Strong==1 & id==1 // 119.57

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	56	119.5714	44.63462	23	235

149 sum GroupEffort if Group_t==1 & Uneven==1 & Strong==0 & id==1 // 41.14

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	56	41.14286	27.74195	0	140

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150 // row 8
151 sum GroupEffort if Group_t==1 & Even==1 & Strong==1 & id==1 // 128.5
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Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	48	128.5	42.06024	34	205

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152 sum GroupEffort if Group_t==1 & Even==1 & Strong==0 & id==1 // 51.91
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Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	112	51.91071	23.31784	0	110

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153 // row 9
154 sum GroupEffort if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==1 & id==1 // 118.49
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Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	102	118.4902	41.27516	29	200

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155 sum GroupEffort if Group_t==1 & Incomplete==1 & Strong==0 & id==1 // 40.26
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Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GroupEffort	174	40.25862	25.78853	0	105

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158 ** Table 5: Description of data
159 dtable GroupEffort ProbWin IndivEffort EffortVariance ZeroEffort Strong Incomplete E
> ven Cost_t Value_t Group_t RiskAverse Experience Female Round GPA L_Loss L_GroupEffo
> rt, title(Table 5. Description of Data) column(summary(mean (std. dev.))) export(Res
> ults\Table5.docx, as(docx) replace) varlabel nosample nformat(%9.2f)
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Table 5. Description of Data

	mean
> (std. dev.)	
Total points contributed by all group members	74
> .90 (45.77)	
Calculated as a function of own and opponent group effort, using equation [1]	52
> .42 (22.85)	
Points contributed by the participant, 0 to 50 points	18
> .04 (16.07)	
Squared deviation of a participant's contribution relative to the mean contribut	145.
> 81 (211.14)	
=1 if participant contributed zero points; 0 otherwise	
> 0.21 (0.41)	
=1 for 'strong' group type; =0 for 'weak'	
> 0.56 (0.50)	
=1 for incomplete information contest; 0 otherwise	
> 0.53 (0.50)	
=1 for even contest; 0 otherwise	
> 0.24 (0.43)	
=1 for cost treatments; =0 otherwise	
> 0.30 (0.46)	
=1 for value treatments; =0 otherwise	
> 0.30 (0.46)	
=1 for group size treatments; =0 otherwise	
> 0.40 (0.49)	
=1 if participant selected safe option at least six times in Risk Elicitation ta	
> 0.47 (0.50)	
=1 if the participant had partaken in a prior economics experiment; =0 otherwise	
> 0.56 (0.50)	
=1 if participant is female	
> 0.44 (0.51)	
Decision round in the experiment, 1 to 20	1
> 0.50 (5.77)	
Participant GPA; midpont of chosen interval	

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> 3.29 (0.49)
=1 for players who were on a losing team in the prior round (t-1); =0 otherwise
> 0.46 (0.50)
Total points contributed by all members of the participant's group in the prior      75
> .37 (45.93)
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(collection **DTable** exported to file Results\Table5.docx)

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162 ** Table 6: Analysis of information effects (group effort)
163 // demean Round variable
164 sum Round if id==1
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Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Round	1,988	10.48994	5.782364	1	20

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165 gen Round_m = Round - r(mean) if id==1
(5,212 missing values generated)
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166 * Model (1)
167 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
> roup_t#1.Incomplete [pweight=wt_g] if id==1, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)
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HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	1,988	
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(5, 209)	=	10.00	
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000	
	R-squared	=	0.0633	
	Adj R-squared	=	0.0609	
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	210	Within R-sq.	=	0.0633
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	231	Root MSE	=	40.6562

(Std. err. adjusted for **210** clusters in **cluster1 cluster2**)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-1.765589	4.861063	-0.36	0.717	-11.34859	7.81741
Group_t	28.93776	5.853498	4.94	0.000	17.3983	40.47723
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	9.537206	4.754984	2.01	0.046	.163328	18.91108
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	13.69009	4.918826	2.78	0.006	3.993223	23.38697
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-5.906842	6.439622	-0.92	0.360	-18.60178	6.788097
_cons	56.34349	3.941566	14.29	0.000	48.57316	64.11381

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168 // export results
169 outreg using "Results\Table6.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(1)") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table 6. Analysis of group
> -level effort by contest type")
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170 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
 171 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 209) = **6.11**
 Prob > F = **0.0143**

172 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 209) = **3.18**
 Prob > F = **0.0762**

173 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 209) = **0.25**
 Prob > F = **0.6205**

174 * Model (2)

175 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
 > roup_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even [pweight=wt_g]
 > if id==1, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	1,988
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(8, 209)	=	14.23
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.0747
	Adj R-squared	=	0.0709
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.0747
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	40.4386

(Std. err. adjusted for 210 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	1.29916	4.533736	0.29	0.775	-7.638555	10.23687
Group_t	32.78571	5.270115	6.22	0.000	22.39632	43.17511
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	18.30926	4.216276	4.34	0.000	9.997384	26.62114
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	19.3974	5.097814	3.81	0.000	9.347677	29.44713
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-.982735	6.313279	-0.16	0.876	-13.4286	11.46313
Cost_t#Even 1 1	17.54411	4.127986	4.25	0.000	9.406287	25.68194
Value_t#Even 1 1	11.41462	3.573392	3.19	0.002	4.370105	18.45913
Group_t#Even 1 1	9.848213	6.890068	1.43	0.154	-3.734725	23.43115
_cons	47.57143	3.269912	14.55	0.000	41.12519	54.01767

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176 // export results
177 outreg using "Results\Table6.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
    > ctitle("", "(2)") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge

178 // tests across incomplete and even contests
179 test 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Value_t#1.Even

    ( 1) 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0

        F( 1, 209) = 2.17
        Prob > F = 0.1421

180 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

    ( 1) 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Cost_t#1.Even = 0

        F( 1, 209) = 0.02
        Prob > F = 0.9020

181 test 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Group_t#1.Even

    ( 1) 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0

        F( 1, 209) = 1.86
        Prob > F = 0.1744

182 // tests across source of advantage; uneven contests
183 test Group_t = Value_t

    ( 1) - Value_t + Group_t = 0

        F( 1, 209) = 36.79
        Prob > F = 0.0000

184 // tests across source of advantage; even contests
185 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

    ( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0

        F( 1, 209) = 8.77
        Prob > F = 0.0034

186 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

    ( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0

        F( 1, 209) = 16.70
        Prob > F = 0.0001

187 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

    ( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Even - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0

        F( 1, 209) = 0.52
        Prob > F = 0.4705

188 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
189 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

    ( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0

        F( 1, 209) = 6.10
        Prob > F = 0.0143

```

190 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0
 F(1, 209) = 3.17
 Prob > F = 0.0764

191 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0
 F(1, 209) = 0.25
 Prob > F = 0.6207

192 * Model (3)

193 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
 > roup_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even 1.Cost_t#c.Rou
 > nd_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m [pweight=wt_g] if id==1, cluster(cluste
 > r1_cluster2)
 (MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	1,988
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(11, 209)	=	15.30
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.1070
	Adj R-squared	=	0.1020
	Within R-sq.	=	0.1070
	Root MSE	=	39.7560

Number of clusters (cluster1) = 210
 Number of clusters (cluster2) = 231

(Std. err. adjusted for 210 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	1.936337	4.436858	0.44	0.663	-6.810395	10.68307
Group_t	32.16935	4.857533	6.62	0.000	22.59331	41.74539
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	18.82904	3.955172	4.76	0.000	11.03189	26.62618
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	19.23608	4.854225	3.96	0.000	9.666563	28.8056
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	.2748143	5.154168	0.05	0.958	-9.886006	10.43563
Cost_t#Even 1 1	18.48096	4.240002	4.36	0.000	10.12231	26.83962
Value_t#Even 1 1	11.12829	3.53523	3.15	0.002	4.159007	18.09757
Group_t#Even 1 1	11.68164	6.66483	1.75	0.081	-1.457273	24.82054
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-1.148661	.3475038	-3.31	0.001	-1.833723	-.4635989
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-.7591286	.4188349	-1.81	0.071	-1.584811	.0665539
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	-1.925094	.4437526	-4.34	0.000	-2.799898	-1.050289
_cons	47.10711	3.35989	14.02	0.000	40.48349	53.73073

```

194 // export results
195 outreg using "Results\Table6.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
  > ctitle("", "(3)") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge

196 // tests across incomplete and even contests
197 test 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Value_t#1.Even

  ( 1) 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 209) = 2.35
      Prob > F = 0.1269

198 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

  ( 1) 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Cost_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 209) = 0.00
      Prob > F = 0.9531

199 test 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Group_t#1.Even

  ( 1) 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 209) = 2.35
      Prob > F = 0.1271

200 // tests across source of advantage; uneven contests
201 test Group_t = Value_t

  ( 1) - Value_t + Group_t = 0

      F( 1, 209) = 44.15
      Prob > F = 0.0000

202 // tests across source of advantage; even contests
203 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

  ( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 209) = 9.02
      Prob > F = 0.0030

204 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

  ( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 209) = 17.53
      Prob > F = 0.0000

205 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

  ( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Even - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 209) = 0.68
      Prob > F = 0.4108

206 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
207 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

  ( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0

      F( 1, 209) = 9.87
      Prob > F = 0.0019

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208 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 4.33
      Prob > F = 0.0387
```

```
209 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 0.28
      Prob > F = 0.5971
```

```
210
211
212 ** Table 7: Analysis of group-level effort across strong and weak groups, by type of
> contest
213 * Uneven
214 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
> .Strong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m [pweight=wt_g] i
> f id==1 & Uneven==1, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

```
HDFE Linear regression                               Number of obs = 422
Absorbing 1 HDFE group                             F( 8, 91) = 70.04
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity             Prob > F = 0.0000
                                                    R-squared = 0.5850
                                                    Adj R-squared = 0.5770
Number of clusters (cluster1) = 92                 Within R-sq. = 0.5850
Number of clusters (cluster2) = 100                Root MSE = 28.7786
```

(Std. err. adjusted for 92 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	7.37371	3.522676	2.09	0.039	.3763455	14.37107
Group_t	20.23459	3.881003	5.21	0.000	12.52546	27.94373
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	54.94286	5.763288	9.53	0.000	43.49479	66.39092
Value_t#Strong 1 1	43.64706	2.791926	15.63	0.000	38.10124	49.19288
Group_t#Strong 1 1	78.42857	7.115501	11.02	0.000	64.2945	92.56264
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-.487308	.5023269	-0.97	0.335	-1.485119	.5105026
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-1.008612	.5100833	-1.98	0.051	-2.02183	.0046055
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	-1.790711	.5839775	-3.07	0.003	-2.95071	-.6307111
_cons	19.90302	2.193289	9.07	0.000	15.54632	24.25972

```

215 // export results
216 outreg using "Results\Table7.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Uneven") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table 7. Analysis of gr
> up-level effort across strong and weak groups, by contest type")

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217 // tests across source of advantage; weak groups
218 test Group_t = Value_t

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( 1) - Value_t + Group_t = 0
      F( 1, 91) = 9.27
      Prob > F = 0.0031

```

```

219 // tests across source of advantage; Strong groups
220 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 1.Cost_t#1.Strong

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```

( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 91) = 26.90
      Prob > F = 0.0000

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221 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong

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( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 91) = 43.77
      Prob > F = 0.0000

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```

222 test 1.Cost_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong

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```

( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Strong - 1.Value_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 91) = 0.33
      Prob > F = 0.5665

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```

223 * Even
224 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
> .Strong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m [pweight=wt_g] i
> f id==1 & Even==1, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)

```

```

HDFE Linear regression           Number of obs = 490
Absorbing 1 HDFE group          F( 8, 99) = 34.07
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity
                                  Prob > F = 0.0000
                                  R-squared = 0.4655
                                  Adj R-squared = 0.4566
                                  Within R-sq. = 0.4655
Number of clusters (cluster1) = 100
Number of clusters (cluster2) = 109
                                  Root MSE = 30.8900

```

(Std. err. adjusted for 100 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-6.058185	5.963953	-1.02	0.312	-17.89196	5.775593
Group_t	1.192365	4.702066	0.25	0.800	-8.137554	10.52228
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	31.10788	7.542694	4.12	0.000	16.14154	46.07422
Value_t#Strong 1 1	32.75934	3.928014	8.34	0.000	24.96531	40.55338
Group_t#Strong 1 1	79.33906	6.728062	11.79	0.000	65.98912	92.68899
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-.8418992	.6298085	-1.34	0.184	-2.091576	.4077776
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-.3731484	.5660676	-0.66	0.511	-1.496349	.7500526

Group_t#c.Round_m						
1	-1.443631	.6160423	-2.34	0.021	-2.665992	-.2212694
_cons	49.90794	4.495556	11.10	0.000	40.98778	58.8281

```
225 // export results
226 outreg using "Results\Table7.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Even") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge
```

```
227 // tests across source of advantage; weak groups
228 test Group_t = Value_t
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + Group_t = 0
      F( 1, 99) = 3.05
      Prob > F = 0.0840
```

```
229 // tests across source of advantage; Strong groups
230 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 1.Cost_t#1.Strong
```

```
( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 99) = 25.61
      Prob > F = 0.0000
```

```
231 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 99) = 51.18
      Prob > F = 0.0000
```

```
232 test 1.Cost_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Strong - 1.Value_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 99) = 0.32
      Prob > F = 0.5753
```

```
233 * Incomplete Information
```

```
234 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
> .Strong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m [pweight=wt_g] i
> f id==1 & Incomplete==1, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

```
HDFE Linear regression                               Number of obs = 1,076
Absorbing 1 HDFE group                               F( 8, 109) = 86.99
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity              Prob > F = 0.0000
                                                    R-squared = 0.4989
                                                    Adj R-squared = 0.4951
Number of clusters (cluster1) = 110                  Within R-sq. = 0.4989
Number of clusters (cluster2) = 121                  Root MSE = 28.6941
```

(Std. err. adjusted for 110 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	8.338762	4.825057	1.73	0.087	-1.224344	17.90187
Group_t	-1.894517	4.222519	-0.45	0.655	-10.26341	6.474378
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	45.66216	2.534203	18.02	0.000	40.63946	50.68487
Value_t#Strong 1 1	33.68224	3.843001	8.76	0.000	26.06554	41.29894
Group_t#Strong 1 1	76.78314	5.795468	13.25	0.000	65.29671	88.26957
Cost_t#c.Round_m						

1	-1.064522	.3261822	-3.26	0.001	-1.711005	-.4180399
Value_t#c.Round_m I	-.8483736	.6391772	-1.33	0.187	-2.115202	.4184548
Group_t#c.Round_m I	-2.434355	.4077653	-5.97	0.000	-3.242533	-1.626178
_cons	43.101	2.261539	19.06	0.000	38.61871	47.5833

```
235 // export results
236 outreg using "Results\Table7.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Incomplete Info.") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge
```

```
237 // tests across source of advantage; weak groups
238 test Group_t = Value_t
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + Group_t = 0
      F( 1, 109) = 3.39
      Prob > F = 0.0683
```

```
239 // tests across source of advantage; Strong groups
240 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 1.Cost_t#1.Strong
```

```
( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 109) = 37.85
      Prob > F = 0.0000
```

```
241 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 109) = 30.86
      Prob > F = 0.0000
```

```
242 test 1.Cost_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Strong - 1.Value_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 109) = 0.60
      Prob > F = 0.4394
```

243

244

245 ** Table 8: Free-riding behavior and intra-group variation in individual effort
246 global controls Round Experience RiskAverse Female GPA

247 * Free-riding

```
248 reghdfe ZeroEffort Group_t Incomplete 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete Strong 1.Group_t#1.Stro
> ng_Even 1.Group_t#1.Even $controls [pweight=wt_i], cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluste
> r2)
(MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	7,200
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(12, 209)	=	22.39
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.0969
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.0954
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.0969
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	0.3876

(Std. err. adjusted for 210 clusters in **SubjectID cluster1 cluster2**)

ZeroEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Group_t Incomplete	-.0334035 -.1716281	.050405 .0324375	-0.66 -5.29	0.508 0.000	-.1327709 -.2355748	.0659639 -.1076814
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	.1479574	.0608676	2.43	0.016	.0279642	.2679507
Strong	-.1761409	.0199999	-8.81	0.000	-.2155682	-.1367135
Group_t#Strong 1 1	.1188446	.0341861	3.48	0.001	.0514507	.1862384
Even	-.1454862	.0206865	-7.03	0.000	-.1862672	-.1047053
Group_t#Even 1 1	.0232399	.0442921	0.52	0.600	-.0640767	.1105565
Round	.007182	.0008804	8.16	0.000	.0054465	.0089176
Experience	.0729834	.0276148	2.64	0.009	.0185441	.1274226
RiskAverse	.0635449	.0277283	2.29	0.023	.0088819	.118208
Female	-.0679885	.0247532	-2.75	0.007	-.1167865	-.0191905
GPA	.0232171	.0330093	0.70	0.483	-.0418569	.088291
_cons	.1935157	.1149702	1.68	0.094	-.0331342	.4201656

```
249 // export results
250 outreg using "Results\Table8.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(3)
> ctitle("", "Zero Effort") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table 8. Free-ridi
> ng behavior and intra-group variation in individual effort")
```

```
251 // some reported results
252 lincom Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete
```

(1) **Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**

ZeroEffort	Coefficient	Std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
(1)	-.0236706	.051348	-0.46	0.645	-.1248971	.0775558

```
253 lincom Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong
```

(1) **Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0**

ZeroEffort	Coefficient	Std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
(1)	-.0572963	.0278401	-2.06	0.041	-.1121797	-.0024129

```
254 * within-group variance
255 reghdfe EffortVariance Group_t Incomplete 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete Strong 1.Group_t#1.
> Strong Even 1.Group_t#1.Even $controls [pweight=wt_i], cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cl
> uster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	7,200
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(12, 209)	=	3.67
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0001
	R-squared	=	0.0191
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.0174
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.0191
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	210.9059

(Std. err. adjusted for 210 clusters in **SubjectID cluster1 cluster2**)

EffortVariance	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Group_t Incomplete	60.66987 12.48948	25.73672 15.0441	2.36 0.83	0.019 0.407	9.933033 -17.16815	111.4067 42.14711
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-16.24495	32.35124	-0.50	0.616	-80.02151	47.53162
Strong	28.13856	10.24444	2.75	0.007	7.942877	48.33424
Group_t#Strong 1 1	-33.74218	18.41389	-1.83	0.068	-70.04296	2.55859
Even	14.07212	13.11514	1.07	0.285	-11.7828	39.92703
Group_t#Even 1 1	-57.65602	26.3762	-2.19	0.030	-109.6535	-5.658517
Round	.1755434	.6047718	0.29	0.772	-1.016691	1.367778
Experience	-34.07861	12.04697	-2.83	0.005	-57.82775	-10.32946
RiskAverse	-22.39778	11.26678	-1.99	0.048	-44.60887	-.1866837
Female	6.755447	11.32149	0.60	0.551	-15.5635	29.07439
GPA	-13.5605	12.26767	-1.11	0.270	-37.74473	10.62372
_cons	184.0705	41.23149	4.46	0.000	102.7876	265.3534

```
256 // export results
257 outreg using "Results\Table8.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Zero Effort") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge
```

```
258 // some reported tests
259 test Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0 // group size: even versus uneven
```

```
( 1) Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 3.68
      Prob > F = 0.0565
```

```
260 test Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong=0 // group size: strong versus weak
```

```
( 1) Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 0.13
      Prob > F = 0.7171
```

```
261
262 /* APPENDIX */
263
264 ** Table B1. Analysis of group-level effort by contest type (pre-pandemic)
265 // demean Round variable
266 drop Round_m
```

```
267 sum Round if id==1 & Post==0
```

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Round	1,848	10.51407	5.784884	1	20

268 gen Round_m = Round - r(mean) if id==1 & Post==0
 (5,352 missing values generated)

269 * Model (1)

270 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
 > roup_t#1.Incomplete [pweight=wt_pp] if id==1 & Post==0, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	1,848
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(5, 189)	=	6.38
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.0458
	Adj R-squared	=	0.0432
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	190	Within R-sq.	= 0.0458
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	209	Root MSE	= 39.3327

(Std. err. adjusted for 190 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-1.765589	4.862752	-0.36	0.717	-11.35783	7.826652
Group_t	25.27655	6.374883	3.97	0.000	12.70149	37.85162
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	9.537206	4.756637	2.01	0.046	.1542877	18.92012
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	13.69009	4.920535	2.78	0.006	3.983871	23.39632
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-7.694826	7.48295	-1.03	0.305	-22.45566	7.066005
_cons	56.34349	3.942936	14.29	0.000	48.56567	64.1213

271 // export results

272 outreg using "Results\TableB1.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
 > ctitle("", "(1)") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table B.1 Analysis of gro
 > up-level effort by contest type (pre-pandemic)")

273 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information

274 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**

F(1, 189) = 1.70
 Prob > F = 0.1934

275 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**

F(1, 189) = 0.68
 Prob > F = 0.4104

276 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0**

F(1, 189) = 0.25
 Prob > F = 0.6207

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277 * Model (2)
278 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
> roup_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even [pweight=wt_pp
> ] if id==1 & Post==0, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)

```

```

HDFE Linear regression                               Number of obs   =    1,848
Absorbing 1 HDFE group                             F(   8,   189)  =    11.13
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity            Prob > F        =    0.0000
                                                    R-squared       =    0.0583
                                                    Adj R-squared  =    0.0542
Number of clusters (cluster1) =    190           Within R-sq.   =    0.0583
Number of clusters (cluster2) =    209           Root MSE      =    39.1046

```

(Std. err. adjusted for 190 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	1.29916	4.535574	0.29	0.775	-7.64769	10.24601
Group_t	29.47619	5.958832	4.95	0.000	17.72183	41.23055
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	18.30926	4.217984	4.34	0.000	9.988888	26.62964
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	19.3974	5.09988	3.80	0.000	9.337406	29.4574
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-3.122406	7.467212	-0.42	0.676	-17.85219	11.60738
Cost_t#Even 1 1	17.54411	4.129659	4.25	0.000	9.39797	25.69026
Value_t#Even 1 1	11.41462	3.57484	3.19	0.002	4.362905	18.46633
Group_t#Even 1 1	9.144841	7.545834	1.21	0.227	-5.740034	24.02972
_cons	47.57143	3.271237	14.54	0.000	41.1186	54.02425

```

279 // export results
280 outreg using "Results\TableB1.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(2)") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge

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281 // tests across incomplete and even contests
282 test 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Value_t#1.Even

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( 1) 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0
      F( 1, 189) = 2.17
      Prob > F = 0.1424

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283 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

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( 1) 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Cost_t#1.Even = 0
      F( 1, 189) = 0.02
      Prob > F = 0.9020

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284 test 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Group_t#1.Even

(1) **1.Group_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**

F(1, 189) = 1.87
Prob > F = 0.1727

285 // tests across source of advantage; uneven contests

286 test Group_t = Value_t

(1) **- Value_t + Group_t = 0**

F(1, 189) = 22.90
Prob > F = 0.0000

287 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information

288 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**

F(1, 189) = 1.70
Prob > F = 0.1937

289 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**

F(1, 189) = 0.68
Prob > F = 0.4108

290 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0**

F(1, 189) = 0.25
Prob > F = 0.6209

291 // tests across source of advantage; even contests

292 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**

F(1, 189) = 5.50
Prob > F = 0.0201

293 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

(1) **- Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**

F(1, 189) = 10.72
Prob > F = 0.0013

294 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

(1) **- Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Even - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0**

F(1, 189) = 0.52
Prob > F = 0.4707

295 * Model (3)

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296 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
> roup_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even 1.Cost_t#c.Rou
> nd_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m [pweight=wt_pp] if id==1 & Post==0, clu
> st(er(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

```
HDFE Linear regression                               Number of obs   =    1,848
Absorbing 1 HDFE group                             F( 11,    189) =    13.62
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity             Prob > F       =    0.0000
                                                    R-squared      =    0.1074
                                                    Adj R-squared  =    0.1021
Number of clusters (cluster1) =                    190          Within R-sq.   =    0.1074
Number of clusters (cluster2) =                    209          Root MSE      =    38.1032
```

(Std. err. adjusted for 190 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	1.945736	4.438159	0.44	0.662	-6.808954	10.70043
Group_t	29.47708	5.071873	5.81	0.000	19.47233	39.48184
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	18.82904	3.957003	4.76	0.000	11.02347	26.6346
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	19.23608	4.856473	3.96	0.000	9.656228	28.81594
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-2.370877	5.448018	-0.44	0.664	-13.11761	8.375857
Cost_t#Even 1 1	18.48096	4.241965	4.36	0.000	10.11328	26.84864
Value_t#Even 1 1	11.12829	3.536867	3.15	0.002	4.151481	18.10509
Group_t#Even 1 1	9.899687	6.727969	1.47	0.143	-3.371871	23.17125
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-1.148661	.3476647	-3.30	0.001	-1.834463	-.4628591
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-.7591286	.4190288	-1.81	0.072	-1.585703	.0674455
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	-2.717447	.391731	-6.94	0.000	-3.490174	-1.944721
_cons	47.07939	3.361865	14.00	0.000	40.44779	53.71099

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297 // export results
298 outreg using "Results\TableB1.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(3)") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge
299 // tests across incomplete and even contests
300 test 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Value_t#1.Even
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(1) 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0

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F( 1,    189) =    2.35
Prob > F =    0.1273
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301 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

(1) **1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Cost_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 189) = 0.00
 Prob > F = 0.9531

302 test 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Group_t#1.Even

(1) **1.Group_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 189) = 2.86
 Prob > F = 0.0925

303 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information

304 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 189) = 3.47
 Prob > F = 0.0640

305 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 189) = 1.16
 Prob > F = 0.2834

306 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 189) = 0.28
 Prob > F = 0.5961

307 // tests across source of advantage; even contests

308 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 189) = 6.43
 Prob > F = 0.0120

309 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

(1) **- Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 189) = 13.67
 Prob > F = 0.0003

310 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

(1) **- Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Even - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 189) = 0.68
 Prob > F = 0.4118

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313 ** Table B2: Analysis of group-level effort across strong and weak groups, by contes
> t type (pre-pandemic)
314 // note: sampling weights are only approximate as they are based on full sample
315 * Uneven
316 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
> .Strong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m [pweight=wt_pp] i
> f id==1 & Uneven==1 & Post==0, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)

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HDFE Linear regression                               Number of obs   =       394
Absorbing 1 HDFE group                             F(      8,      82) =       70.15
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity             Prob > F         =       0.0000
                                                    R-squared        =       0.5614
                                                    Adj R-squared    =       0.5523
Number of clusters (cluster1) =           83         Within R-sq.     =       0.5614
Number of clusters (cluster2) =           91         Root MSE        =       27.7874

```

(Std. err. adjusted for 83 clusters in **cluster1 cluster2**)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	7.361131	3.524697	2.09	0.040	.3493864	14.37287
Group_t	22.00499	5.152535	4.27	0.000	11.75495	32.25502
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	54.94286	5.770709	9.52	0.000	43.46308	66.42263
Value_t#Strong 1 1	43.64706	2.795521	15.61	0.000	38.08588	49.20824
Group_t#Strong 1 1	69.42857	8.339532	8.33	0.000	52.83859	86.01856
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-.487308	.5029736	-0.97	0.335	-1.487883	.5132667
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-1.008612	.51074	-1.97	0.052	-2.024637	.0074123
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	-2.41837	.6879538	-3.52	0.001	-3.786929	-1.04981
_cons	19.89126	2.198127	9.05	0.000	15.51849	24.26403

```

317 // export results
318 outreg using "Results\TableB2.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Uneven") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table B.2 Analysis of
> group-level effort across strong and weak groups, by contest type (pre-pandemic)")

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319 // tests across source of advantage; Strong groups
320 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 1.Cost_t#1.Strong

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( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1,      82) =       18.04
      Prob > F =       0.0001

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321 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong

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( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1,      82) =       29.94
      Prob > F =       0.0000

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322 test 1.Cost_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong

(1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Strong - 1.Value_t#1.Strong = 0
 F(1, 82) = 0.33
 Prob > F = 0.5658

323 * Even

324 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
 > .Strong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m [pweight=wt_pp] i
 > f id==1 & Even==1 & Post==0, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression Number of obs = 450
 Absorbing 1 HDFE group F(8, 89) = 28.59
 Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity Prob > F = 0.0000
 R-squared = 0.4256
 Adj R-squared = 0.4152
 Within R-sq. = 0.4256
 Root MSE = 29.8798

Number of clusters (cluster1) = 90
 Number of clusters (cluster2) = 98

(Std. err. adjusted for 90 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-6.046874	5.973688	-1.01	0.314	-17.91646	5.822716
Group_t	1.288103	4.909083	0.26	0.794	-8.466141	11.04235
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	31.10788	7.552528	4.12	0.000	16.10117	46.11459
Value_t#Strong 1 1	32.75934	3.933135	8.33	0.000	24.94429	40.5744
Group_t#Strong 1 1	70.49674	6.396892	11.02	0.000	57.78625	83.20723
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-.8418992	.6306296	-1.34	0.185	-2.094947	.4111485
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-.3731484	.5668056	-0.66	0.512	-1.499379	.7530824
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	-2.386987	.486958	-4.90	0.000	-3.354563	-1.419412
_cons	49.88763	4.503138	11.08	0.000	40.93999	58.83527

325 // export results

326 outreg using "Results\TableB2.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
 > ctitle("", "Even") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge

327 // tests across source of advantage; Strong groups

328 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 1.Cost_t#1.Strong

(1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
 F(1, 89) = 19.17
 Prob > F = 0.0000

329 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong

(1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
 F(1, 89) = 42.86
 Prob > F = 0.0000

330 test 1.Cost_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong

(1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Strong - 1.Value_t#1.Strong = 0
 F(1, 89) = 0.31
 Prob > F = 0.5769

331 * Incomplete Information

332 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
 > .Strong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m [pweight=wt_pp] i
 > f id==1 & Incomplete==1 & Post==0, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	1,004
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(8, 99)	=	77.80
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.4902
	Adj R-squared	=	0.4861
Number of clusters (cluster1)	Within R-sq.	=	0.4902
Number of clusters (cluster2)	Root MSE	=	28.2906

(Std. err. adjusted for 100 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	8.343978	4.830332	1.73	0.087	-1.240448	17.9284
Group_t	-8.751791	4.33546	-2.02	0.046	-17.35429	-.149297
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	45.66216	2.536048	18.01	0.000	40.63009	50.69423
Value_t#Strong 1 1	33.68224	3.8458	8.76	0.000	26.05134	41.31314
Group_t#Strong 1 1	79.7292	7.306811	10.91	0.000	65.2309	94.2275
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-1.064522	.3264198	-3.26	0.002	-1.71221	-.4168347
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-.8483736	.6396427	-1.33	0.188	-2.117564	.4208164
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	-2.743806	.3697893	-7.42	0.000	-3.477548	-2.010063
_cons	43.07532	2.262192	19.04	0.000	38.58664	47.564

333 // export results

334 outreg using "Results\TableB2.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
 > ctitle("", "Incomplete Info.") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge

```
335 // tests across source of advantage; Strong groups
336 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 1.Cost_t#1.Strong
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```
( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 99) = 22.79
      Prob > F = 0.0000
```

```
337 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong
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```
( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 99) = 20.65
      Prob > F = 0.0000
```

```
338 test 1.Cost_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong
```

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( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Strong - 1.Value_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 99) = 0.60
      Prob > F = 0.4408
```

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340
341 ** Table B3: Analysis of individual effort by contest type
342 // demean control variables for Models (3) and (4)
343 drop Round_m
344 foreach var in Experience RiskAverse Female GPA Round {
345     2. sum `var'
346     3. gen `var'_m = `var' - r(mean)
347     4. }
```

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Experience	7,200	.5638889	.4959359	0	1
Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
RiskAverse	7,200	.4722222	.4992625	0	1
Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Female	7,200	.4361111	.512466	0	2
Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GPA	7,200	3.294444	.4860576	1	3.75
Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Round	7,200	10.5	5.766682	1	20

```
345 global controls_m Experience_m RiskAverse_m Female_m GPA_m
```

```
346 * Model (1)
347 reghdfe IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
> roup_t#1.Incomplete [pweight=wt_i], cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	7,200
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(5, 209)	=	7.34
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.0536
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.0529
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.0536
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	15.5849

(Std. err. adjusted for 210 clusters in **SubjectID cluster1 cluster2**)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-5.885297	2.481932	-0.24	0.813	-5.48136	4.304301
Group_t	-4.56762	2.190292	-2.09	0.038	-8.885517	-.2497231
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	3.179069	2.345265	1.36	0.177	-1.444338	7.802475
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	4.563365	2.572864	1.77	0.078	-.508726	9.635456
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-.9844736	1.727624	-0.57	0.569	-4.390276	2.421329
_cons	18.78116	1.887804	9.95	0.000	15.05958	22.50274

```
348 // export results
349 outreg using "Results\TableB3.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(1)") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table B.3 Analysis of ind
> ividual effort by contest type")
```

```
350 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
351 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete
```

```
( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 20.67
      Prob > F = 0.0000
```

```
352 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
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( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 15.72
      Prob > F = 0.0001
```

```
353 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
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( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 0.11
      Prob > F = 0.7448
```

```
354 * Model (2)
355 reghdfe IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
> roup_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even [pweight=wt_i]
> , cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	7,200
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(8, 209)	=	7.61
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.0601
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.0591
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.0601
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	15.5342

(Std. err. adjusted for 210 clusters in **SubjectID cluster1 cluster2**)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	.4330532	2.282896	0.19	0.850	-4.067401	4.933508
Group_t	-2.464286	2.13576	-1.15	0.250	-6.674679	1.746107
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	6.103088	2.178917	2.80	0.006	1.807616	10.39856
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	6.465801	2.535021	2.55	0.011	1.468313	11.46329
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-.1637891	1.871604	-0.09	0.930	-3.853431	3.525853
Cost_t#Even 1 1	5.848038	1.597799	3.66	0.000	2.698171	8.997905
Value_t#Even 1 1	3.804872	1.184403	3.21	0.002	1.469964	6.139781
Group_t#Even 1 1	1.641369	1.163707	1.41	0.160	-.6527389	3.935477
_cons	15.85714	1.676427	9.46	0.000	12.55227	19.16202

```
356 // export results
357 outreg using "Results\TableB3.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(2)") nodisplay statfont(fsl2) merge
```

```
358 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
359 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete
```

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 209) = 20.66
 Prob > F = 0.0000

```
360 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
```

(1) **- Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 209) = 15.71
 Prob > F = 0.0001

```
361 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
```

(1) **- Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 209) = 0.11
 Prob > F = 0.7448

```
362 // tests across source of advantage; even contests
```

```
363 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even
```

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 209) = 6.17
 Prob > F = 0.0138

364 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

(1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0
 F(1, 209) = 5.23
 Prob > F = 0.0232

365 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

(1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Even - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0
 F(1, 209) = 0.28
 Prob > F = 0.5976

366 * Model (3)

367 reghdfe IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
 > roup_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even 1.Cost_t#c.Ro
 > und_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m \$controls_m [pweight=wt_i], cluster(Su
 > bjectID cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	7,200
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(15, 209)	=	16.70
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.1149
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.1130
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.1149
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	15.0824

(Std. err. adjusted for 210 clusters in SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	.3136767	2.167157	0.14	0.885	-3.958612	4.585966
Group_t	-3.684343	2.069878	-1.78	0.077	-7.764858	.3961727
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	6.339854	2.067411	3.07	0.002	2.264203	10.41551
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	6.400618	2.321319	2.76	0.006	1.824417	10.97682
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	1.137579	1.672524	0.68	0.497	-2.1596	4.434758
Cost_t#Even 1 1	6.122061	1.604279	3.82	0.000	2.959418	9.284705
Value_t#Even 1 1	3.722679	1.15542	3.22	0.001	1.444907	6.000451
Group_t#Even 1 1	2.218631	1.265038	1.75	0.081	-.2752394	4.712502
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-.382734	.1072565	-3.57	0.000	-.5941773	-.1712906
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-.2531703	.1178603	-2.15	0.033	-.4855178	-.0208229
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	-.3459852	.0391742	-8.83	0.000	-.4232124	-.268758
Experience_m	-4.310839	1.097603	-3.93	0.000	-6.47463	-2.147047
RiskAverse_m	-3.513023	1.136207	-3.09	0.002	-5.752919	-1.273128
Female_m	2.185269	1.041955	2.10	0.037	.1311813	4.239357
GPA_m	-1.986419	1.160791	-1.71	0.089	-4.274779	.3019412
_cons	16.02857	1.642457	9.76	0.000	12.79066	19.26647

```
368 // export results
369 outreg using "Results\TableB3.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(3)") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge
```

```
370 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
371 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete
```

```
( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 27.83
      Prob > F = 0.0000
```

```
372 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 18.34
      Prob > F = 0.0000
```

```
373 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 0.03
      Prob > F = 0.8675
```

```
374 // tests across source of advantage; even contests
```

```
375 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even
```

```
( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 7.95
      Prob > F = 0.0053
```

```
376 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 6.60
      Prob > F = 0.0109
```

```
377 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Even - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0
      F( 1, 209) = 0.49
      Prob > F = 0.4831
```

```
378 * Model (4)
```

```
379 reghdfe IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
> roup_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even 1.Cost_t#c.R
> ound_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m $controls_m 1.Incomplete#c.GPA_m [pwe
> ight=wt_i], cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	7,200
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(16, 209)	=	16.54
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.1200
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.1180
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.1200
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	15.0399

(Std. err. adjusted for 210 clusters in SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	.2379586	2.162974	0.11	0.913	-4.026083	4.502001
Group_t	-3.909417	2.082815	-1.88	0.062	-8.015435	.1966021
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	6.153067	2.079639	2.96	0.003	2.053309	10.25282
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	6.331442	2.278854	2.78	0.006	1.838957	10.82393
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	1.243229	1.665865	0.75	0.456	-2.040823	4.527281
Cost_t#Even 1 1	5.951653	1.592896	3.74	0.000	2.811451	9.091855
Value_t#Even 1 1	3.69705	1.160371	3.19	0.002	1.409519	5.984581
Group_t#Even 1 1	2.264236	1.257529	1.80	0.073	-.2148318	4.743303
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-.3819182	.1051439	-3.63	0.000	-.5891967	-.1746396
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-.2530886	.1144835	-2.21	0.028	-.4787791	-.0273981
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	-.3459919	.0386752	-8.95	0.000	-.4222354	-.2697485
Experience_m	-4.387351	1.099999	-3.99	0.000	-6.555867	-2.218834
RiskAverse_m	-3.34292	1.124742	-2.97	0.003	-5.560214	-1.125626
Female_m	2.23598	1.033408	2.16	0.032	.1987395	4.27322
GPA_m	.1616568	1.34285	0.12	0.904	-2.485611	2.808924
Incomplete#c.GPA_m 1	-4.73899	2.155304	-2.20	0.029	-8.987912	-.4900675
_cons	16.18946	1.649273	9.82	0.000	12.93812	19.4408

```

380 // export results
381 outreg using "Results\TableB3.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
    > ctitle("", "(4)") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge

382 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
383 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

    ( 1)  Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0

        F( 1, 209) = 27.76
        Prob > F = 0.0000

384 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

    ( 1)  - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0

        F( 1, 209) = 19.17
        Prob > F = 0.0000
    
```

```

385 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
    ( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0
          F( 1, 209) = 0.04
          Prob > F = 0.8505

386 // tests across source of advantage; even contests
387 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even
    ( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0
          F( 1, 209) = 7.93
          Prob > F = 0.0053

388 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even
    ( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0
          F( 1, 209) = 6.99
          Prob > F = 0.0088

389 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even
    ( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Even - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0
          F( 1, 209) = 0.46
          Prob > F = 0.4984
    
```

```

390 // effect of GPA on incomplete information contests
391 lincom GPA_m + 1.Incomplete#c.GPA_m
    
```

(1) GPA_m + 1.Incomplete#c.GPA_m = 0

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
(1)	-4.577333	1.712443	-2.67	0.008	-7.953209	-1.201458

```

392
393 ** Table B4. Analysis of individual effort across strong and weak groups, by contest
> type
394 // deamean covariates by contest type
395 foreach var in Experience RiskAverse Female Round GPA {
    2. sum `var' if Uneven==1
    3. gen `var'_U = `var' - r(mean) if Uneven==1
    4. }
    
```

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Experience (5,598 missing values generated)	1,602	.5349563	.4989323	0	1
RiskAverse (5,598 missing values generated)	1,602	.4475655	.4973983	0	1
Female (5,598 missing values generated)	1,602	.4463171	.497265	0	1
Round (5,598 missing values generated)	1,602	10.22097	5.809584	1	20

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GPA	1,602	3.275437	.5326773	1	3.75

(5,598 missing values generated)

```
396 global controls_U 1.Cost#c.Round_U 1.Value#c.Round_U 1.Group_t#c.Round_U Experience_
> U RiskAverse_U Female_U GPA_U
```

```
397 foreach var in Experience RiskAverse Female Round GPA {
2. sum `var' if Even==1
3. gen `var'_E = `var' - r(mean) if Even==1
4. }
```

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Experience	1,758	.536405	.4988148	0	1

(5,442 missing values generated)

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
RiskAverse	1,758	.4340159	.495768	0	1

(5,442 missing values generated)

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Female	1,758	.4351536	.4959182	0	1

(5,442 missing values generated)

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Round	1,758	10.75427	5.71799	1	20

(5,442 missing values generated)

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GPA	1,758	3.297924	.5141149	1	3.75

(5,442 missing values generated)

```
398 global controls_E 1.Cost#c.Round_E 1.Value#c.Round_E 1.Group_t#c.Round_E Experience_
> E RiskAverse_E Female_E GPA_E
```

```
399 foreach var in Experience RiskAverse Female Round GPA {
2. sum `var' if Incomplete==1
3. gen `var'_I = `var' - r(mean) if Incomplete==1
4. }
```

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Experience	3,840	.5885417	.492162	0	1

(3,360 missing values generated)

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
RiskAverse	3,840	.5	.5000651	0	1

(3,360 missing values generated)

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Female	3,840	.4322917	.5260586	0	2

(3,360 missing values generated)

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Round	3,840	10.5	5.767032	1	20

(3,360 missing values generated)

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
GPA	3,840	3.300781	.4511418	1	3.75

(3,360 missing values generated)

400 global_controls_I 1.Cost_t#c.Round_I 1.Value_t#c.Round_I 1.Group_t#c.Round_I Experie
 > nce_I RiskAverse_I Female_I GPA_I

401 * Uneven contest

402 reghdfe IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
 > .Strong [pweight=wt_i] if Uneven==1, cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	1,602
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(5, 91)	=	28.07
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.1617
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.1590
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.1617
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	14.3955

(Std. err. adjusted for 92 clusters in SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	2.315686	1.903626	1.22	0.227	-1.465633	6.097005
Group_t	7.014286	2.17383	3.23	0.002	2.696239	11.33233
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	18.31429	2.217147	8.26	0.000	13.9102	22.71838
Value_t#Strong 1 1	14.54902	1.970936	7.38	0.000	10.634	18.46404
Group_t#Strong 1 1	-.4285714	2.149564	-0.20	0.842	-4.698415	3.841272
_cons	6.7	1.129594	5.93	0.000	4.4562	8.9438

403 outreg using "Results\TableB4.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
 > ctitle("", "Uneven") replace nodisplay statfont(fsl2) title("Table B.4 Analysis of
 > individual effort across strong and weak groups, by contest type") landscape

404 * Uneven contest (controls)

405 reghdfe IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
 > .Strong \$controls_U [pweight=wt_i] if Uneven==1, cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluster2
 >)
 (MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	1,602
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(12, 91)	=	15.96
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.2162
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.2102
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.2162
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	13.9502

(Std. err. adjusted for 92 clusters in SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	1.916086	1.858992	1.03	0.305	-1.776573	5.608746
Group_t	5.764727	2.12664	2.71	0.008	1.540419	9.989036
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	18.25149	2.265551	8.06	0.000	13.75125	22.75173
Value_t#Strong 1 1	14.75349	1.900894	7.76	0.000	10.9776	18.52939
Group_t#Strong 1 1	-.177627	2.183194	-0.08	0.935	-4.514274	4.15902
Cost_t#c.Round_U						

1	-.1653251	.1740947	-0.95	0.345	-.5111427	.1804926
Value_t#c.Round U						
1	-.3507576	.1578055	-2.22	0.029	-.6642189	-.0372964
Group_t#c.Round U						
1	-.3175507	.0807998	-3.93	0.000	-.4780495	-.1570519
Experience_U	-1.826256	1.672401	-1.09	0.278	-5.148275	1.495763
RiskAverse_U	-5.607438	1.64414	-3.41	0.001	-8.87332	-2.341555
Female_U	2.368819	1.604462	1.48	0.143	-.8182474	5.555885
GPA_U	-.6991751	1.380374	-0.51	0.614	-3.441118	2.042767
_cons	7.258756	1.122763	6.47	0.000	5.028526	9.488986

406 outreg using "Results\TableB4.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
 > ctitle("", "Uneven") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge landscape

407 * Even contest

408 reghdfe IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
 > .Strong [pweight=wt_i] if Even==1, cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	1,758
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(5, 99)	=	16.03
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.1106
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.1081
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.1106
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	14.4427

(Std. err. adjusted for 100 clusters in SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-1.902313	2.701591	-0.70	0.483	-7.262856	3.458231
Group_t	.8255013	2.400349	0.34	0.732	-3.937312	5.588314
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	10.45422	2.462866	4.24	0.000	5.567361	15.34108
Value_t#Strong 1 1	11.03862	1.526005	7.23	0.000	8.010696	14.06655
Group_t#Strong 1 1	-3.025794	1.112691	-2.72	0.008	-5.233613	-.8179739
_cons	16.47807	1.98443	8.30	0.000	12.54053	20.41561

409 outreg using "Results\TableB4.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
 > ctitle("", "Even") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge landscape

410 * Even contest (controls)

411 reghdfe IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
 > .Strong \$controls_E [pweight=wt_i] if Even==1, cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	1,758
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(12, 99)	=	11.30
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.1561
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.1503
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.1561
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	14.0969

(Std. err. adjusted for 100 clusters in **SubjectID cluster1 cluster2**)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-2.298615	2.541322	-0.90	0.368	-7.341149	2.743919
Group_t	-.323379	2.325685	-0.14	0.890	-4.938042	4.291284
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	10.45811	2.60245	4.02	0.000	5.294285	15.62193
Value_t#Strong 1 1	11.24439	1.355247	8.30	0.000	8.55529	13.9335
Group_t#Strong 1 1	-2.657016	1.134767	-2.34	0.021	-4.90864	-.4053911
Cost_t#c.Round_E 1	-.2931244	.2001561	-1.46	0.146	-.6902774	.1040287
Value_t#c.Round_E 1	-.1289058	.1424945	-0.90	0.368	-.4116458	.1538342
Group_t#c.Round_E 1	-.2291273	.121544	-1.89	0.062	-.470297	.0120425
Experience_E	-4.515858	1.683387	-2.68	0.009	-7.856063	-1.175653
RiskAverse_E	-3.549451	1.80644	-1.96	0.052	-7.13382	.0349172
Female_E	1.153777	1.653584	0.70	0.487	-2.127292	4.434847
GPA_E	.4768357	1.474064	0.32	0.747	-2.448027	3.401698
_cons	16.99864	1.941696	8.75	0.000	13.14589	20.85138

```
412 outreg using "Results\TableB4.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Even") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge landscape
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413 * Incomplete information
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414 reghdfe IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
> .Strong [pweight=wt_i] if Incomplete==1, cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	3,840
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(5, 109)	=	37.78
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.1841
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.1831
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.1841
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	14.7397

(Std. err. adjusted for 110 clusters in **SubjectID cluster1 cluster2**)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	3.06611	2.601237	1.18	0.241	-2.089457	8.221676
Group_t	-.7438585	2.372569	-0.31	0.754	-5.446214	3.958497
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	15.59366	1.460715	10.68	0.000	12.69857	18.48875
Value_t#Strong 1 1	11.05298	1.705273	6.48	0.000	7.673182	14.43277
Group_t#Strong 1 1	-.2539629	1.5589	-0.16	0.871	-3.343652	2.835726
_cons	14.1634	1.561217	9.07	0.000	11.06912	17.25768

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415 outreg using "Results\TableB4.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Incomplete Information") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge landscape
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416 * Incomplete information (controls)
417 reghdfe IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
> .Strong $controls_I [pweight=wt_i] if Incomplete==1, cluster(SubjectID cluster1 clus
> ter2)
(MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)
Warning: VCV matrix was non-positive semi-definite; adjustment from Cameron, Gelbach &
> Miller applied.
warning: missing F statistic; dropped variables due to collinearity or too few cluster
> s
```

```
HDFE Linear regression          Number of obs   =      3,840
Absorbing 1 HDFE group         F( 12, 109)    =      .
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity  Prob > F       =      .
                                R-squared       =      0.2583
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =      192         Adj R-squared  =      0.2560
Number of clusters (cluster1)  =      110         Within R-sq.  =      0.2583
Number of clusters (cluster2)  =      121         Root MSE     =      14.0663
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(Std. err. adjusted for 110 clusters in SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	2.458842	2.325894	1.06	0.293	-2.151004	7.068688
Group_t	-1.076166	2.137242	-0.50	0.616	-5.312111	3.159778
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	15.36065	1.445433	10.63	0.000	12.49585	18.22545
Value_t#Strong 1 1	11.35239	1.686213	6.73	0.000	8.010371	14.69441
Group_t#Strong 1 1	-.2591405	1.549834	-0.17	0.868	-3.330861	2.81258
Cost_t#c.Round 1	-.3515726	.0861454	-4.08	0.000	-.5223099	-.1808353
Value_t#c.Round 1	-.2830244	.1678961	-1.69	0.095	-.6157891	.0497403
Group_t#c.Round 1	-.4071166	.0164444	-24.76	0.000	-.4397088	-.3745243
Experience_I	-5.148672	1.567417	-3.28	0.001	-8.255242	-2.042102
RiskAverse_I	-2.511716	1.563864	-1.61	0.111	-5.611244	.5878127
Female_I	2.238466	1.417292	1.58	0.117	-.5705615	5.047494
GPA_I	-5.204857	1.730092	-3.01	0.003	-8.633842	-1.775871
_cons	14.4616	1.401322	10.32	0.000	11.68423	17.23898

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418 outreg using "Results\TableB4.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Incomplete Information") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge landscape
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421 ** Table B5. Analysis of individual effort by contest type (Tobit)
```

422 global controls_m Experience_m RiskAverse_m Female_m GPA_m

423 * Model (1)

424 tobit IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.Gro
> up_t#1.Incomplete [pweight=wt_i], vce(cluster SubjectID) ll(0)

Refining starting values:

Grid node 0: Log likelihood = **-26526.859**

Fitting full model:

Iteration 0: Log pseudolikelihood = **-26526.859**
 Iteration 1: Log pseudolikelihood = **-26271.761**
 Iteration 2: Log pseudolikelihood = **-26264.391**
 Iteration 3: Log pseudolikelihood = **-26264.375**
 Iteration 4: Log pseudolikelihood = **-26264.375**

Tobit regression

Number of obs = **7,200**
 Uncensored = **5,694**
 Left-censored = **1,506**
 Right-censored = **0**

Limits: Lower = **0**
 Upper = **+inf**

F(5, 7195) = **8.36**
 Prob > F = **0.0000**
 Pseudo R2 = **0.0073**

Log pseudolikelihood = **-26264.375**

(Std. err. adjusted for **360** clusters in **SubjectID**)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-.7498527	2.629189	-0.29	0.775	-5.903835	4.40413
Group_t	-4.943382	2.332657	-2.12	0.034	-9.516076	-.3706887
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	4.167868	2.340658	1.78	0.075	-.4205089	8.756245
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	5.923465	2.656804	2.23	0.026	.715349	11.13158
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-1.781424	2.288962	-0.78	0.436	-6.268461	2.705613
_cons	16.45537	1.857533	8.86	0.000	12.81406	20.09668
var(e.IndivEffort)	355.45	16.61439			324.3285	389.5578

425 // export results

426 outreg using "Results\TableB5.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(1)") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table B.5 Analysis of ind
> ividual effort by contest type (Tobit)") summstat(N \ r2_p)

427 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information

428 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **[IndivEffort]Group_t - [IndivEffort]1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete +
[IndivEffort]1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**

F(1, 7195) = **22.46**
 Prob > F = **0.0000**

429 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

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( 1) - [IndivEffort]Value_t + [IndivEffort]Group_t -
      [IndivEffort]1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + [IndivEffort]1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0
      F( 1, 7195) = 20.63
      Prob > F = 0.0000
```

430 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

```
( 1) - [IndivEffort]Value_t + [IndivEffort]1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete -
      [IndivEffort]1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0
      F( 1, 7195) = 0.18
      Prob > F = 0.6719
```

431 * Model (2)

```
432 tobit IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.Gro
> up_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even [pweight=wt_i],
> vce(cluster SubjectID) ll(0)
```

Refining starting values:

Grid node 0: Log likelihood = **-26495.887**

Fitting full model:

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Iteration 0: Log pseudolikelihood = -26495.887
Iteration 1: Log pseudolikelihood = -26238.817
Iteration 2: Log pseudolikelihood = -26230.935
Iteration 3: Log pseudolikelihood = -26230.917
Iteration 4: Log pseudolikelihood = -26230.917
```

Tobit regression

Limits: Lower = 0
Upper = +inf

```
Number of obs = 7,200
Uncensored = 5,694
Left-censored = 1,506
Right-censored = 0
```

```
F(8, 7192) = 10.21
Prob > F = 0.0000
Pseudo R2 = 0.0085
```

Log pseudolikelihood = **-26230.917**

(Std. err. adjusted for 360 clusters in **SubjectID**)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	.7639034	2.781246	0.27	0.784	-4.688157	6.215963
Group_t	-2.31819	2.725121	-0.85	0.395	-7.660227	3.023848
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	8.351404	2.486747	3.36	0.001	3.476648	13.22616
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	8.59209	2.678186	3.21	0.001	3.342059	13.84212
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-.2125333	2.547713	-0.08	0.934	-5.2068	4.781734
Cost_t#Even 1 1	8.178862	1.887405	4.33	0.000	4.478992	11.87873
Value_t#Even 1 1	5.27058	1.190244	4.43	0.000	2.937353	7.603808
Group_t#Even 1 1	3.080087	1.583991	1.94	0.052	-.0250004	6.185174
_cons	12.27944	2.040803	6.02	0.000	8.278869	16.28002
var(e.IndivEffort)	352.6554	16.53051			321.6949	386.5955

```
433 // export results
434 outreg using "Results\TableB5.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(2)") nodisplay statfont(fsl2) merge summstat(N \ r2_p)
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435 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
436 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete
```

$$(1) \quad [\text{IndivEffort}]Group_t - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Cost_t\#1.Incomplete + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Group_t\#1.Incomplete = 0$$

F(1, 7192) = 22.47
 Prob > F = 0.0000

```
437 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
```

$$(1) \quad - [\text{IndivEffort}]Value_t + [\text{IndivEffort}]Group_t - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Value_t\#1.Incomplete + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Group_t\#1.Incomplete = 0$$

F(1, 7192) = 20.64
 Prob > F = 0.0000

```
438 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete
```

$$(1) \quad - [\text{IndivEffort}]Value_t + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Cost_t\#1.Incomplete - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Value_t\#1.Incomplete = 0$$

F(1, 7192) = 0.18
 Prob > F = 0.6720

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439 // tests across source of advantage; even contests
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440 **# Bookmark #2
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```
441 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even
```

$$(1) \quad [\text{IndivEffort}]Group_t - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Cost_t\#1.Even + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Group_t\#1.Even = 0$$

F(1, 7192) = 8.56
 Prob > F = 0.0035

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442 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even
```

$$(1) \quad - [\text{IndivEffort}]Value_t + [\text{IndivEffort}]Group_t - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Value_t\#1.Even + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Group_t\#1.Even = 0$$

F(1, 7192) = 4.70
 Prob > F = 0.0303

```
443 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even
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$$(1) \quad - [\text{IndivEffort}]Value_t + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Cost_t\#1.Even - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Value_t\#1.Even = 0$$

F(1, 7192) = 0.56
 Prob > F = 0.4561

```
444 * Model (3)
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445 tobit IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.Gro
> up_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even 1.Cost_t#c.Roun
> d_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m $controls_m [pweight=wt_i], vce(cluster
> SubjectID) ll(0)
```

Refining starting values:

Grid node 0: Log likelihood = -26274.078

Fitting full model:

Iteration 0: Log pseudolikelihood = -26274.078
 Iteration 1: Log pseudolikelihood = -26011.578
 Iteration 2: Log pseudolikelihood = -26001.568
 Iteration 3: Log pseudolikelihood = -26001.541
 Iteration 4: Log pseudolikelihood = -26001.541

Tobit regression

Limits: Lower = 0
 Upper = +inf

Number of obs = 7,200
 Uncensored = 5,694
 Left-censored = 1,506
 Right-censored = 0

F(15, 7185) = 17.85
 Prob > F = 0.0000
 Pseudo R2 = 0.0172

Log pseudolikelihood = -26001.541

(Std. err. adjusted for 360 clusters in SubjectID)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	.6284746	2.674625	0.23	0.814	-4.614578	5.871527
Group_t	-3.992971	2.618215	-1.53	0.127	-9.125444	1.139501
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	8.593677	2.406299	3.57	0.000	3.876622	13.31073
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	8.410454	2.556659	3.29	0.001	3.398649	13.42226
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	1.374669	2.389856	0.58	0.565	-3.310153	6.05949
Cost_t#Even 1 1	8.447412	1.830013	4.62	0.000	4.860048	12.03478
Value_t#Even 1 1	5.135971	1.17844	4.36	0.000	2.825882	7.44606
Group_t#Even 1 1	3.893331	1.65097	2.36	0.018	.6569446	7.129718
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-.4748995	.0858351	-5.53	0.000	-.6431615	-.3066376
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-.3170623	.0748923	-4.23	0.000	-.4638733	-.1702513
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	-.4828915	.0641632	-7.53	0.000	-.6086703	-.3571127
Experience_m	-5.423048	1.350892	-4.01	0.000	-8.071195	-2.774902
RiskAverse_m	-4.366675	1.389666	-3.14	0.002	-7.09083	-1.64252
Female_m	3.103323	1.305307	2.38	0.017	.5445365	5.662109
GPA_m	-2.300395	1.466046	-1.57	0.117	-5.174277	.5734867
_cons	12.57444	1.940812	6.48	0.000	8.769881	16.379
var(e.IndivEffort)	330.0504	15.35828			301.276	361.573

446 // export results

447 outreg using "Results\TableB5.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
 > ctitle("", "(3)") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge summstat(N \ r2_p)

448 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
 449 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **[IndivEffort]Group_t - [IndivEffort]1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete +
 [IndivEffort]1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 7185) = **26.41**
 Prob > F = **0.0000**

450 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- [IndivEffort]Value_t + [IndivEffort]Group_t -
 [IndivEffort]1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + [IndivEffort]1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 7185) = **23.13**
 Prob > F = **0.0000**

451 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- [IndivEffort]Value_t + [IndivEffort]1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete -
 [IndivEffort]1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 7185) = **0.04**
 Prob > F = **0.8455**

452 // tests across source of advantage; even contests

453 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

(1) **[IndivEffort]Group_t - [IndivEffort]1.Cost_t#1.Even +
 [IndivEffort]1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 7185) = **11.05**
 Prob > F = **0.0009**

454 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

(1) **- [IndivEffort]Value_t + [IndivEffort]Group_t - [IndivEffort]1.Value_t#1.Even +
 [IndivEffort]1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 7185) = **6.28**
 Prob > F = **0.0123**

455 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

(1) **- [IndivEffort]Value_t + [IndivEffort]1.Cost_t#1.Even -
 [IndivEffort]1.Value_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 7185) = **0.88**
 Prob > F = **0.3469**

456 * Model (4)

457 tobit IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.Gro
 > up_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even 1.Cost_t#c.Rou
 > nd_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m \$controls_m 1.Incomplete#c.GPA_m [pweig
 > ht=wt_i], vce(cluster SubjectID) ll(0)

Refining starting values:

Grid node 0: Log likelihood = **-26251.685**

Fitting full model:

Iteration 0: Log pseudolikelihood = **-26251.685**
 Iteration 1: Log pseudolikelihood = **-25988.598**
 Iteration 2: Log pseudolikelihood = **-25978.375**
 Iteration 3: Log pseudolikelihood = **-25978.347**
 Iteration 4: Log pseudolikelihood = **-25978.347**

Tobit regression
 Limits: Lower = 0
 Upper = +inf

Number of obs = 7,200
 Uncensored = 5,694
 Left-censored = 1,506
 Right-censored = 0

F(16, 7184) = 17.28
 Prob > F = 0.0000
 Pseudo R2 = 0.0181

Log pseudolikelihood = -25978.347

(Std. err. adjusted for 360 clusters in SubjectID)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	.5161632	2.649665	0.19	0.846	-4.677959	5.710285
Group_t	-4.257795	2.620887	-1.62	0.104	-9.395505	.8799152
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	8.33955	2.424757	3.44	0.001	3.586312	13.09279
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	8.321059	2.525571	3.29	0.001	3.370196	13.27192
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	1.46663	2.36971	0.62	0.536	-3.178698	6.111958
Cost_t#Even 1 1	8.218993	1.818333	4.52	0.000	4.654524	11.78346
Value_t#Even 1 1	5.097134	1.195428	4.26	0.000	2.753743	7.440525
Group_t#Even 1 1	3.938683	1.642758	2.40	0.017	.7183927	7.158973
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-.4744707	.085851	-5.53	0.000	-.6427638	-.3061775
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	-.316876	.0750252	-4.22	0.000	-.4639474	-.1698045
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	-.4820281	.06403	-7.53	0.000	-.6075458	-.3565104
Experience_m	-5.513889	1.342122	-4.11	0.000	-8.144842	-2.882936
RiskAverse_m	-4.138679	1.378583	-3.00	0.003	-6.841107	-1.43625
Female_m	3.162863	1.297093	2.44	0.015	.6201795	5.705546
GPA_m	.5344382	1.871738	0.29	0.775	-3.134718	4.203595
Incomplete#c.GPA_m 1	-6.184158	2.743497	-2.25	0.024	-11.56222	-.8060977
_cons	12.78914	1.935738	6.61	0.000	8.994524	16.58376
var(e.IndivEffort)	327.9799	15.16525			299.5591	359.0972

```
458 // export results
459 outreg using "Results\TableB5.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(4)") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge summstat(N \ r2_p)
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460 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
 461 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

$$(1) \quad [\text{IndivEffort}]Group_t - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Cost_t\#1.Incomplete + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Group_t\#1.Incomplete = 0$$

F(1, 7184) = 26.21
 Prob > F = 0.0000

462 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

$$(1) \quad - [\text{IndivEffort}]Value_t + [\text{IndivEffort}]Group_t - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Value_t\#1.Incomplete + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Group_t\#1.Incomplete = 0$$

F(1, 7184) = 23.76
 Prob > F = 0.0000

463 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

$$(1) \quad - [\text{IndivEffort}]Value_t + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Cost_t\#1.Incomplete - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Value_t\#1.Incomplete = 0$$

F(1, 7184) = 0.05
 Prob > F = 0.8279

464 // tests across source of advantage; even contests

465 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

$$(1) \quad [\text{IndivEffort}]Group_t - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Cost_t\#1.Even + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Group_t\#1.Even = 0$$

F(1, 7184) = 11.03
 Prob > F = 0.0009

466 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

$$(1) \quad - [\text{IndivEffort}]Value_t + [\text{IndivEffort}]Group_t - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Value_t\#1.Even + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Group_t\#1.Even = 0$$

F(1, 7184) = 6.65
 Prob > F = 0.0100

467 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

$$(1) \quad - [\text{IndivEffort}]Value_t + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Cost_t\#1.Even - [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Value_t\#1.Even = 0$$

F(1, 7184) = 0.85
 Prob > F = 0.3577

468 // effect of GPA on incomplete information contests

469 lincom GPA_m + 1.Incomplete#c.GPA_m

$$(1) \quad [\text{IndivEffort}]GPA_m + [\text{IndivEffort}]1.Incomplete\#c.GPA_m = 0$$

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
(1)	-5.64972	2.059472	-2.74	0.006	-9.686892	-1.612548

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470
471
472 ** Table B6. Analysis of individual effort across strong and weak groups, by contest
   > type (Tobit)
473 // Model (1)
474 tobit IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1.S
   > tronc $controls_U [pweight=wt_i] if Uneven==1, ll(0) vce(cluster SubjectID)

```

Refining starting values:

Grid node 0: Log likelihood = **-5642.9215**

Fitting full model:

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Iteration 0: Log pseudolikelihood = -5642.9215
Iteration 1: Log pseudolikelihood = -5519.8427
Iteration 2: Log pseudolikelihood = -5511.8642
Iteration 3: Log pseudolikelihood = -5511.7494
Iteration 4: Log pseudolikelihood = -5511.7492

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Tobit regression

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Number of obs      = 1,602
Uncensored         = 1,126
Left-censored      = 476
Right-censored     = 0

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Limits: Lower = 0
Upper = +inf

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F(12, 1590)       = 16.26
Prob > F           = 0.0000
Pseudo R2         = 0.0351

```

Log pseudolikelihood = **-5511.7492**

(Std. err. adjusted for 168 clusters in SubjectID)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	4.131543	3.328856	1.24	0.215	-2.397864	10.66095
Group_t	9.230218	3.529025	2.62	0.009	2.308187	16.15225
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	25.54666	2.50185	10.21	0.000	20.63938	30.45393
Value_t#Strong 1 1	19.28605	2.960158	6.52	0.000	13.47983	25.09228
Group_t#Strong 1 1	1.017335	3.105849	0.33	0.743	-5.074654	7.109325
Cost_t#c.Round U 1	-.2429078	.1667753	-1.46	0.145	-.5700303	.0842148
Value_t#c.Round U 1	-.5280903	.1618188	-3.26	0.001	-.8454911	-.2106896
Group_t#c.Round U 1	-.5049919	.123722	-4.08	0.000	-.7476673	-.2623164
Experience_U	-2.388483	2.169827	-1.10	0.271	-6.644505	1.867538
RiskAverse_U	-7.040127	2.214781	-3.18	0.002	-11.38433	-2.695929
Female_U	3.669927	2.231164	1.64	0.100	-.7064048	8.046259
GPA_U	-.7307028	2.072791	-0.35	0.724	-4.796393	3.334987
_cons	-.7710621	2.35057	-0.33	0.743	-5.381604	3.83948
var(e.IndivEffort)	329.8292	29.01722			277.5532	391.9511

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475 outreg using "Results\TableB6.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Uneven") replace nodisplay statfont(fsl2) title("Table B.6 Analysis of
> individual effort across strong and weak groups, by contest type (Tobit)") summstat(
> N \ r2_p)

476 // Model (2)
477 tobit IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1.S
> trong $controls_E [pweight=wt_i] if Even==1, ll(0) vce(cluster SubjectID)

```

Refining starting values:

Grid node 0: Log likelihood = **-6213.8827**

Fitting full model:

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Iteration 0: Log pseudolikelihood = -6213.8827
Iteration 1: Log pseudolikelihood = -6175.4341
Iteration 2: Log pseudolikelihood = -6174.3637
Iteration 3: Log pseudolikelihood = -6174.3634

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Tobit regression
Limits: Lower = 0
        Upper = +inf
Number of obs   = 1,758
Uncensored     = 1,469
Left-censored  = 289
Right-censored = 0

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F(12, 1746) = 12.62
Prob > F    = 0.0000
Pseudo R2   = 0.0213
Log pseudolikelihood = -6174.3634

```

(Std. err. adjusted for 168 clusters in SubjectID)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-3.031403	2.848923	-1.06	0.287	-8.619063	2.556257
Group_t	-.2052703	2.640043	-0.08	0.938	-5.383249	4.972708
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	11.67505	1.949958	5.99	0.000	7.850552	15.49955
Value_t#Strong 1 1	12.89976	1.712437	7.53	0.000	9.541119	16.2584
Group_t#Strong 1 1	-2.895911	1.426565	-2.03	0.043	-5.693866	-.0979556
Cost_t#c.Round E 1	-.3961443	.1879249	-2.11	0.035	-.7647259	-.0275627
Value_t#c.Round E 1	-.1703601	.1241199	-1.37	0.170	-.4137994	.0730792
Group_t#c.Round E 1	-.3084084	.1319697	-2.34	0.020	-.5672437	-.0495731
Experience_E	-5.366004	1.939795	-2.77	0.006	-9.170571	-1.561438
RiskAverse_E	-4.061137	1.989966	-2.04	0.041	-7.964104	-.158169
Female_E	1.282081	1.982608	0.65	0.518	-2.606456	5.170617
GPA_E	.8988005	1.952276	0.46	0.645	-2.930245	4.727846
_cons	15.32655	2.082642	7.36	0.000	11.24182	19.41129
var(e.IndivEffort)	264.6554	20.22887			227.8108	307.459

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478 outreg using "Results\TableB6.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> cttitle("", "Even") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge summstat(N \ r2_p)

479 // Model (3)
480 tobit IndivEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1.S
> trong $controls_I [pweight=wt_i] if Incomplete==1, ll(0) vce(cluster SubjectID)
```

Refining starting values:

Grid node 0: Log likelihood = **-13937.803**

Fitting full model:

Iteration 0: Log pseudolikelihood = **-13937.803**
 Iteration 1: Log pseudolikelihood = **-13817.583**
 Iteration 2: Log pseudolikelihood = **-13812.687**
 Iteration 3: Log pseudolikelihood = **-13812.681**
 Iteration 4: Log pseudolikelihood = **-13812.681**

Tobit regression	Number of obs	=	3,840
	Uncensored	=	3,099
Limits: Lower =	Left-censored	=	741
Upper = +inf	Right-censored	=	0
	F(12, 3828)	=	29.79
	Prob > F	=	0.0000
Log pseudolikelihood = -13812.681	Pseudo R2	=	0.0391

(Std. err. adjusted for **192** clusters in **SubjectID**)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	2.698567	2.541042	1.06	0.288	-2.28336	7.680494
Group_t	-2.865392	2.740688	-1.05	0.296	-8.238741	2.507957
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	16.95881	1.723017	9.84	0.000	13.58069	20.33693
Value_t#Strong 1 1	12.69211	1.590057	7.98	0.000	9.574673	15.80955
Group_t#Strong 1 1	.5394046	1.964566	0.27	0.784	-3.312291	4.391101
Cost_t#c.Round I I	-.4288222	.0976126	-4.39	0.000	-.6202	-.2374444
Value_t#c.Round I I	-.3122767	.0945447	-3.30	0.001	-.4976394	-.1269139
Group_t#c.Round I I	-.5242592	.0751654	-6.97	0.000	-.6716272	-.3768913
Experience_I	-6.448297	1.862583	-3.46	0.001	-10.10005	-2.796547
RiskAverse_I	-3.256893	1.92367	-1.69	0.091	-7.02841	.5146232
Female_I	3.277577	1.740261	1.88	0.060	-.1343497	6.689505
GPA_I	-6.312833	2.067254	-3.05	0.002	-10.36586	-2.259807
_cons	12.40874	1.689801	7.34	0.000	9.095738	15.72173
var(e.IndivEffort)	274.2917	19.74393			238.1895	315.866

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481 outreg using "Results\TableB6.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Incomplete Info.") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge summstat(N \
> r2_p)
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483
484 ** Table B7. Analysis of group-level effort, by contest type (last 10 rounds)
485 // demean Round variable
486 sum Round if id==1 & Round>10
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Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Round	990	15.52121	2.872247	11	20

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487 gen Round_m10 = Round - r(mean) if id==1 & Round>10
(6,210 missing values generated)
```

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488 * Model (1)
489 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
> roup_t#1.Incomplete [pweight=wt_g10] if id==1 & Round>10, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

```
HDFE Linear regression                               Number of obs   =       990
Absorbing 1 HDFE group                             F(   5,   104)  =       5.04
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity            Prob > F       =     0.0004
                                                    R-squared      =     0.0481
                                                    Adj R-squared  =     0.0432
Number of clusters (cluster1) =       105         Within R-sq.   =     0.0481
Number of clusters (cluster2) =       126         Root MSE      =    39.0373
```

(Std. err. adjusted for 105 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-1.623869	6.331846	-0.26	0.798	-14.18016	10.93242
Group_t	25.2859	8.094066	3.12	0.002	9.235065	41.33674
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	14.8825	6.57793	2.26	0.026	1.838214	27.92678
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	12.47423	6.339625	1.97	0.052	-.0974805	25.04595
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-10.97389	8.182441	-1.34	0.183	-27.19998	5.252197
_cons	53.06243	5.502478	9.64	0.000	42.15081	63.97405

```
490 // export results
491 outreg using "Results\TableB7.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(1)") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table B.7 Analysis of gro
> up-level effort, by contest type (last 10 rounds)")
```

```
492 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
493 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete
```

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**

```
F( 1, 104) = 0.01
Prob > F = 0.9322
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494 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0
 F(1, 104) = 0.19
 Prob > F = 0.6614

495 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0
 F(1, 104) = 0.37
 Prob > F = 0.5417

496 * Model (2)

497 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
 > roup_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even [pweight=wt_g1
 > 0] if id==1 & Round>10, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	990
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(8, 104)	=	10.14
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.0596
	Adj R-squared	=	0.0519
Number of clusters (cluster1)	Within R-sq.	=	0.0596
Number of clusters (cluster2)	Root MSE	=	38.8590

(Std. err. adjusted for 105 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-2.695913	5.161185	-0.52	0.603	-12.93074	7.53891
Group_t	26.75758	6.328156	4.23	0.000	14.20861	39.30655
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	21.2025	5.571094	3.81	0.000	10.15482	32.25019
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	19.86629	6.253086	3.18	0.002	7.466181	32.26639
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-6.125556	7.338446	-0.83	0.406	-20.67797	8.426857
Cost_t#Even 1 1	12.64002	4.498705	2.81	0.006	3.718916	21.56112
Value_t#Even 1 1	14.7841	4.132835	3.58	0.001	6.588537	22.97967
Group_t#Even 1 1	9.696668	6.388239	1.52	0.132	-2.97145	22.36479
_cons	46.74242	4.243285	11.02	0.000	38.32783	55.15702

498 // export results

499 outreg using "Results\TableB7.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
 > ctitle("", "(2)") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge

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500 // tests across incomplete and even contests
501 test 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Value_t#1.Even

  ( 1) 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 104) = 0.51
      Prob > F = 0.4787

502 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

  ( 1) 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Cost_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 104) = 1.06
      Prob > F = 0.3055

503 test 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Group_t#1.Even

  ( 1) 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 104) = 2.64
      Prob > F = 0.1074

504 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information
505 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

  ( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0

      F( 1, 104) = 0.01
      Prob > F = 0.9323

506 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

  ( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0

      F( 1, 104) = 0.19
      Prob > F = 0.6618

507 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

  ( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0

      F( 1, 104) = 0.37
      Prob > F = 0.5423

508 // tests across source of advantage; even contests
509 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

  ( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 104) = 4.76
      Prob > F = 0.0314

510 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

  ( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 104) = 7.09
      Prob > F = 0.0090

511 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

  ( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Even - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0

      F( 1, 104) = 0.00
      Prob > F = 0.9499

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512 * Model (3)
513 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete 1.G
> roup_t#1.Incomplete 1.Cost_t#1.Even 1.Value_t#1.Even 1.Group_t#1.Even 1.Cost_t#c.Rou
> nd_m10 1.Value_t#c.Round_m10 1.Group_t#c.Round_m10 [pweight=wt_g10] if id==1 & Round
> >l0, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)

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```

HDFE Linear regression                               Number of obs   =       990
Absorbing 1 HDFE group                             F( 11, 104)    =       8.98
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity             Prob > F       =       0.0000
                                                    R-squared      =       0.0756
                                                    Adj R-squared  =       0.0652
Number of clusters (cluster1) =           105       Within R-sq.   =       0.0756
Number of clusters (cluster2) =           126       Root MSE      =       38.5858

```

(Std. err. adjusted for 105 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-2.386977	4.942516	-0.48	0.630	-12.18817	7.414217
Group_t	27.26978	5.574148	4.89	0.000	16.21603	38.32352
Cost_t#Incomplete 1 1	21.45464	5.15842	4.16	0.000	11.2253	31.68398
Value_t#Incomplete 1 1	19.97103	6.336562	3.15	0.002	7.405387	32.53667
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-6.125556	6.426378	-0.95	0.343	-18.86931	6.618194
Cost_t#Even 1 1	13.22846	4.850795	2.73	0.008	3.609149	22.84777
Value_t#Even 1 1	14.98808	4.190644	3.58	0.001	6.677871	23.29828
Group_t#Even 1 1	9.47518	6.529331	1.45	0.150	-3.472728	22.42309
Cost_t#c.Round_m10 1	-1.629125	.9490579	-1.72	0.089	-3.511143	.252892
Value_t#c.Round_m10 1	.3557803	.9584743	0.37	0.711	-1.54491	2.256471
Group_t#c.Round_m10 1	-2.768604	1.185938	-2.33	0.021	-5.120364	-.4168448
_cons	46.33761	3.967368	11.68	0.000	38.47017	54.20505

```

514 // export results
515 outreg using "Results\TableB7.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "(3)") nodisplay statfont(fsl2) merge

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516 // tests across incomplete and even contests
517 test 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Value_t#1.Even

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( 1) 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0

F( 1, 104) = 0.49
Prob > F = 0.4857

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518 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

(1) **1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Cost_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 104) = 1.00
 Prob > F = 0.3187

519 test 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Group_t#1.Even

(1) **1.Group_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 104) = 2.70
 Prob > F = 0.1033

520 // tests across source of advantage; incomplete information

521 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 104) = 0.00
 Prob > F = 0.9596

522 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete + 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 104) = 0.22
 Prob > F = 0.6377

523 test 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete

(1) **- Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Incomplete - 1.Value_t#1.Incomplete = 0**
 F(1, 104) = 0.36
 Prob > F = 0.5521

524 // tests across source of advantage; even contests

525 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 1.Cost_t#1.Even

(1) **Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 104) = 4.62
 Prob > F = 0.0339

526 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

(1) **- Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Even + 1.Group_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 104) = 6.88
 Prob > F = 0.0100

527 test 1.Cost_t#1.Even = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Even

(1) **- Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Even - 1.Value_t#1.Even = 0**
 F(1, 104) = 0.01
 Prob > F = 0.9430

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530 ** Table B8. Analysis of group-level effort across strong and weak groups, by contes
> t type (last 10 rounds)
531 * Uneven
532 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
> .Strong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m10 1.Value_t#c.Round_m10 1.Group_t#c.Round_m10 [pweight=w
> t_g10] if id==1 & Uneven==1 & Round>10, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)

```

```

HDFE Linear regression                               Number of obs   =       202
Absorbing 1 HDFE group                             F(   8,   46)   =       41.98
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity             Prob > F       =       0.0000
                                                    R-squared      =       0.5891
                                                    Adj R-squared  =       0.5720
Number of clusters (cluster1) =                   47           Within R-sq.   =       0.5891
Number of clusters (cluster2) =                   51           Root MSE      =       26.7771

```

(Std. err. adjusted for 47 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	3.271171	3.555688	0.92	0.362	-3.886058	10.4284
Group_t	21.90821	6.032044	3.63	0.001	9.766333	34.05008
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	55.84848	6.893531	8.10	0.000	41.97253	69.72444
Value_t#Strong 1 1	44.69767	4.296416	10.40	0.000	36.04944	53.34591
Group_t#Strong 1 1	66.84	10.99643	6.08	0.000	44.70533	88.97467
Cost_t#c.Round_m10 1	-1.938438	.9925557	-1.95	0.057	-3.936349	.059473
Value_t#c.Round_m10 1	.3339475	1.0577	0.32	0.754	-1.795093	2.462988
Group_t#c.Round_m10 1	-4.246603	1.104979	-3.84	0.000	-6.470809	-2.022396
_cons	18.33651	2.502796	7.33	0.000	13.29864	23.37438

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533 // export results
534 outreg using "Results\TableB8.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
> ctitle("", "Uneven") replace nodisplay statfont(fsl2) title("Table B.8 Analysis of
> group-level effort across strong and weak groups, by contest type (last 10 rounds)")

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535 // tests across source of advantage; Strong groups
536 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 1.Cost_t#1.Strong

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( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 46) = 9.52
      Prob > F = 0.0034

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537 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong

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( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 46) = 20.21
      Prob > F = 0.0000

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538 test 1.Cost_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong

(1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Strong - 1.Value_t#1.Strong = 0
 F(1, 46) = 0.87
 Prob > F = 0.3563

539 * Even

540 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
 > .Strong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m10 1.Value_t#c.Round_m10 1.Group_t#c.Round_m10 [pweight=w
 > t_g10] if id==1 & Even==1 & Round>10, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression Number of obs = 248
 Absorbing 1 HDFE group F(8, 49) = 16.42
 Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity Prob > F = 0.0000
 R-squared = 0.4198
 Adj R-squared = 0.4004
 Within R-sq. = 0.4198
 Root MSE = 32.8016

Number of clusters (cluster1) = 50
 Number of clusters (cluster2) = 59

(Std. err. adjusted for 50 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	-3.759188	9.628831	-0.39	0.698	-23.10905	15.59067
Group_t	-1.380778	7.616693	-0.18	0.857	-16.6871	13.92554
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	28.86927	10.46268	2.76	0.008	7.843725	49.89482
Value_t#Strong 1 1	34.62495	6.003923	5.77	0.000	22.55962	46.69029
Group_t#Strong 1 1	79.24853	10.40721	7.61	0.000	58.33446	100.1626
Cost_t#c.Round_m10 1	.0089934	2.460834	0.00	0.997	-4.936238	4.954225
Value_t#c.Round_m10 1	-1.087933	1.506101	-0.72	0.474	-4.114557	1.93869
Group_t#c.Round_m10 1	-.1550044	1.790183	-0.09	0.931	-3.752512	3.442503
_cons	44.94679	7.301253	6.16	0.000	30.27437	59.61921

541 // export results

542 outreg using "Results\TableB8.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
 > ctitle("", "Even") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge

543 // tests across source of advantage; Strong groups

544 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 1.Cost_t#1.Strong

(1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
 F(1, 49) = 12.30
 Prob > F = 0.0010

545 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong

(1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
 F(1, 49) = 19.08
 Prob > F = 0.0001

546 test 1.Cost_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong

(1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Strong - 1.Value_t#1.Strong = 0
 F(1, 49) = 0.04
 Prob > F = 0.8522

547 * Incomplete Information

548 reghdfe GroupEffort Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1
 > .Strong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m10 1.Value_t#c.Round_m10 1.Group_t#c.Round_m10 [pweight=w
 > t_g10] if id==1 & Incomplete==1, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
 (MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	540
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(8, 54)	=	80.67
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.4282
	Adj R-squared	=	0.4196
Number of clusters (cluster1)	Within R-sq.	=	0.4282
Number of clusters (cluster2)	Root MSE	=	28.8169

(Std. err. adjusted for 55 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

GroupEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	13.67853	7.290468	1.88	0.066	-.9379786	28.29504
Group_t	1.967908	4.639067	0.42	0.673	-7.332861	11.26868
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	52.38583	2.532143	20.69	0.000	47.30919	57.46247
Value_t#Strong 1 1	30.36194	5.760788	5.27	0.000	18.81226	41.91163
Group_t#Strong 1 1	60.88418	6.014376	10.12	0.000	48.82609	72.94228
Cost_t#c.Round_m10 1	-.9522902	.894378	-1.06	0.292	-2.74541	.8408296
Value_t#c.Round_m10 1	-.0408514	1.777989	-0.02	0.982	-3.605504	3.523802
Group_t#c.Round_m10 1	-2.26443	1.534268	-1.48	0.146	-5.340453	.811593
_cons	35.05228	2.594642	13.51	0.000	29.85033	40.25422

549 // export results

550 outreg using "Results\TableB8.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(2)
 > ctitle("", "Incomplete Info.") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge

```
551 // tests across source of advantage; Strong groups
552 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 1.Cost_t#1.Strong
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( 1) Group_t - 1.Cost_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 54) = 2.16
      Prob > F = 0.1471
```

```
553 test Group_t + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong
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( 1) - Value_t + Group_t - 1.Value_t#1.Strong + 1.Group_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 54) = 4.67
      Prob > F = 0.0352
```

```
554 test 1.Cost_t#1.Strong = Value_t + 1.Value_t#1.Strong
```

```
( 1) - Value_t + 1.Cost_t#1.Strong - 1.Value_t#1.Strong = 0
      F( 1, 54) = 1.55
      Prob > F = 0.2183
```

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555
556
557 ** Table B9. Analysis of probability of winning in uneven contests
558 // demean variable 'Round'
559 drop Round_m
```

```
560 sum Round if id==1
```

Variable	Obs	Mean	Std. dev.	Min	Max
Round	1,988	10.48994	5.782364	1	20

```
561 gen Round_m = Round - r(mean) if id==1
(5,212 missing values generated)
```

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562 * Complete information
563 reghdfe ProbWin Value_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1.Strong
> ong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m [pweight=wt_g] if Une
> ven==1 & id==1, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)
warning: missing F statistic; dropped variables due to collinearity or too few cluster
> s
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HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	422
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(8, 91)	=	.
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	.
	R-squared	=	0.7345
	Adj R-squared	=	0.7293
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	92		
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	100		
	Within R-sq.	=	0.7345
	Root MSE	=	16.1788

(Std. err. adjusted for 92 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

ProbWin	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	5.854795	2.255934	2.60	0.011	1.373661	10.33593
Group_t	4.795076	2.446514	1.96	0.053	-.0646242	9.654777
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	60.48105	3.569229	16.95	0.000	53.39121	67.57088
Value_t#Strong 1 1	48.77146	2.759991	17.67	0.000	43.28907	54.25384
Group_t#Strong 1 1	50.8909	3.346989	15.20	0.000	44.24251	57.53928
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-8.73e-09	1.99e-08	-0.44	0.662	-4.83e-08	3.08e-08

Value_t#c.Round_m 1	1.37e-08	1.33e-08	1.03	0.306	-1.27e-08	4.00e-08
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	6.83e-08	2.44e-08	2.81	0.006	1.99e-08	1.17e-07
_cons	19.75948	1.784614	11.07	0.000	16.21456	23.30439

```
564 // export results
565 outreg using "Results\TableB9.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(3)
> ctitle("", "Complete Info.") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table B.9 Anal
> ysis of probability of winning in uneven contests")
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```
566 * Incomplete information
567 reghdfe ProbWin Value_t Group_t 1.Cost_t#1.Strong 1.Value_t#1.Strong 1.Group_t#1.Strong
> ong 1.Cost_t#c.Round_m 1.Value_t#c.Round_m 1.Group_t#c.Round_m [pweight=wt_g] if Une
> ven_Incomplete==1 & id==1, cluster(cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)
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HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	482
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(8, 101)	=	44.37
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.6053
	Adj R-squared	=	0.5986
	Within R-sq.	=	0.6053
Number of clusters (cluster1)	=	102	
Number of clusters (cluster2)	=	110	
	Root MSE	=	14.8850

(Std. err. adjusted for 102 clusters in cluster1 cluster2)

ProbWin	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Value_t	4.812678	2.467443	1.95	0.054	-.0820646	9.707421
Group_t	-8.400955	2.725401	-3.08	0.003	-13.80742	-2.994493
Cost_t#Strong 1 1	34.27781	3.182187	10.77	0.000	27.96521	40.59042
Value_t#Strong 1 1	24.72888	3.829794	6.46	0.000	17.1316	32.32616
Group_t#Strong 1 1	51.13997	4.472342	11.43	0.000	42.26804	60.01189
Cost_t#c.Round_m 1	-.0599115	.0174318	-3.44	0.001	-.0944915	-.0253315
Value_t#c.Round_m 1	.0025044	.005847	0.43	0.669	-.0090945	.0141034
Group_t#c.Round_m 1	.0220684	.0786158	0.28	0.780	-.1338843	.178021
_cons	32.82238	1.555401	21.10	0.000	29.73688	35.90788

```
568 // export results
569 outreg using "Results\TableB9.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(3)
> ctitle("", "Incomplete Info.") nodisplay statfont(fs12) merge
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570
571
572 ** Table B10. Free-riding behavior (Probit model)
573 global controls Round Experience RiskAverse Female GPA
574 gen Group_Incomplete=Group_t*Incomplete
575 gen Group_Strong=Group_t*Strong
576 gen Group_Even=Group_t*Even
577 probit ZeroEffort 1.Group_t 1.Incomplete Group_Incomplete 1.Strong Group_Strong 1.Ev
    > en Group_Even $controls [pweight=wt_i], cluster(SubjectID)

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Iteration 0: Log pseudolikelihood = -3702.3882
Iteration 1: Log pseudolikelihood = -3329.9551
Iteration 2: Log pseudolikelihood = -3324.4268
Iteration 3: Log pseudolikelihood = -3324.4215
Iteration 4: Log pseudolikelihood = -3324.4215

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Probit regression
Log pseudolikelihood = -3324.4215
Number of obs = 7,200
Wald chi2(12) = 201.44
Prob > chi2 = 0.0000
Pseudo R2 = 0.1021

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(Std. err. adjusted for 360 clusters in SubjectID)

ZeroEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	z	P> z	[95% conf. interval]	
1.Group_t	-.1529396	.1576285	-0.97	0.332	-.4618858	.1560066
1.Incomplete	-.6590768	.1318256	-5.00	0.000	-.9174502	-.4007034
Group_Incomplete	.5582379	.2127937	2.62	0.009	.1411701	.9753058
1.Strong	-.7653246	.0895031	-8.55	0.000	-.9407475	-.5899018
Group_Strong	.5853151	.1242953	4.71	0.000	.3417009	.8289293
1.Even	-.5283602	.0861787	-6.13	0.000	-.6972675	-.359453
Group_Even	.1171878	.1625511	0.72	0.471	-.2014065	.4357821
Round	.0279009	.0035119	7.94	0.000	.0210177	.034784
Experience	.2706034	.1058115	2.56	0.011	.0632167	.47799
RiskAverse	.2475679	.1040124	2.38	0.017	.0437073	.4514285
Female	-.2543308	.1005068	-2.53	0.011	-.4513205	-.0573411
GPA	.0896585	.1298952	0.69	0.490	-.1649314	.3442485
_cons	-.9577078	.4455663	-2.15	0.032	-1.831002	-.084414

```

578 // some results
579 lincom 1.Incomplete + Group_Incomplete

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(1) [ZeroEffort]1.Incomplete + [ZeroEffort]Group_Incomplete = 0

ZeroEffort	Coefficient	Std. err.	z	P> z	[95% conf. interval]	
(1)	-.1008388	.1662858	-0.61	0.544	-.426753	.2250753

```

580 lincom 1.Strong + Group_Strong

```

(1) [ZeroEffort]1.Strong + [ZeroEffort]Group_Strong = 0

ZeroEffort	Coefficient	Std. err.	z	P> z	[95% conf. interval]	
(1)	-.1800095	.0879634	-2.05	0.041	-.3524146	-.0076045

```

581 // export results
582 outreg using "Results\TableB10.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(3
> ) ctitle("", "Coefficients") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table B.10 Free
> -riding behavior (Probit model)")

583 // obtain marginal effects
584 margins, dydx(*) post
note: option continuous implied because a factor with only one level was specified in
option dydx().

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Average marginal effects Number of obs = 7,200
Model VCE: **Robust**

Expression: **Pr(ZeroEffort), predict()**
dy/dx wrt: **1.Group_t 1.Incomplete Group_Incomplete 1.Strong Group_Strong 1.Even Group_Even Round Experience RiskAverse Female GPA**

	dy/dx	Delta-method std. err.	z	P> z	[95% conf. interval]	
1.Group_t	-.0396375	.0408645	-0.97	0.332	-.1197304	.0404554
1.Incomplete	-.1708138	.0330468	-5.17	0.000	-.2355843	-.1060432
Group_Incomplete	.1446792	.054766	2.64	0.008	.0373399	.2520185
1.Strong	-.1983502	.0216402	-9.17	0.000	-.2407641	-.1559362
Group_Strong	.1516969	.0319688	4.75	0.000	.0890391	.2143546
1.Even	-.1369358	.0217275	-6.30	0.000	-.179521	-.0943506
Group_Even	.0303717	.0420266	0.72	0.470	-.051999	.1127424
Round	.0072311	.0009294	7.78	0.000	.0054096	.0090526
Experience	.0701326	.0269485	2.60	0.009	.0173145	.1229507
RiskAverse	.0641625	.0271069	2.37	0.018	.0110339	.1172911
Female	-.0659152	.0258506	-2.55	0.011	-.1165814	-.0152491
GPA	.0232369	.0335286	0.69	0.488	-.042478	.0889518

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585 // export results
586 outreg using "Results\TableB10.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(3
> ) ctitle("", "Marginal Effects") merge nodisplay statfont(fs12)

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587
588
589 ** Table B11. Analysis of individual effort: dynamics
590 global controls Round Experience RiskAverse Female GPA

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591 * Model controlling for prior loss
592 reghdfe IndivEffort Group_t Incomplete 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete Strong 1.Group_t#1.Str
> ong Even 1.Group_t#1.Even L_Loss 1.L_Loss#1.Incomplete 1.L_Loss#1.Even $controls [pw
> eight=wt_i19], cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE_estimator converged in 1 iterations)

```

HDFE Linear regression Number of obs = 6,840
Absorbing 1 HDFE group F(15, 209) = 33.81
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity Prob > F = 0.0000
R-squared = 0.2229
Number of clusters (**SubjectID**) = 360 Adj R-squared = 0.2212
Number of clusters (**cluster1**) = 210 Within R-sq. = 0.2229
Number of clusters (**cluster2**) = 210 Root MSE = 14.1984

(Std. err. adjusted for 210 clusters in **SubjectID cluster1 cluster2**)

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
Group_t	3.49572	1.785487	1.96	0.052	-.024153	7.015593
Incomplete	6.545624	1.545981	4.23	0.000	3.497909	9.59334
Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-5.37275	2.265493	-2.37	0.019	-9.838897	-.9066025
Strong	13.72284	.8496065	16.15	0.000	12.04794	15.39773
Group_t#Strong						

1 1	-14.31567	1.354917	-10.57	0.000	-16.98672	-11.64461
Even	5.577248	1.005476	5.55	0.000	3.595074	7.559422
Group_t#Even						
1 1	-2.804801	1.542387	-1.82	0.070	-5.845431	.2358291
L_Loss	-.4404655	.6689211	-0.66	0.511	-1.759163	.8782318
L_Loss#Incomplete						
1 1	-.3701848	.7908886	-0.47	0.640	-1.929326	1.188957
L_Loss#Even						
1 1	-1.439964	.8748107	-1.65	0.101	-3.164548	.2846194
Round	-.3115046	.0462182	-6.74	0.000	-.4026182	-.220391
Experience	-4.278455	1.104817	-3.87	0.000	-6.456468	-2.100441
RiskAverse	-3.523432	1.131015	-3.12	0.002	-5.753091	-1.293772
Female	2.008316	1.039774	1.93	0.055	-.0414726	4.058105
GPA	-2.332624	1.181528	-1.97	0.050	-4.661864	-.0033837
_cons	23.69591	4.140922	5.72	0.000	15.53258	31.85924

```
593 // some tests
594 lincom L_Loss + 1.L_Loss#1.Incomplete
```

(1) **L_Loss + 1.L_Loss#1.Incomplete = 0**

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
(1)	-0.8106503	.4199263	-1.93	0.055	-1.638484	.0171838

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595 lincom L_Loss + 1.L_Loss#1.Even
```

(1) **L_Loss + 1.L_Loss#1.Even = 0**

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
(1)	-1.88043	.7175767	-2.62	0.009	-3.295046	-.465814

```
596 // export results
597 outreg using "Results\TableB11.doc", stat(b se) starlevels(10 5 1) starloc(1) bdec(3
> ) ctitle("", "Prior Loss") replace nodisplay statfont(fs12) title("Table B.11 Analys
> is of individual effort: behavioral dynamics")
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```
598 * Model controlling for group effort from prior round
599 reghdfe IndivEffort Group_t Incomplete 1.Group_t#1.Incomplete Strong 1.Group_t#1.Str
> ong Even 1.Group_t#1.Even L_GroupEffort c.L_GroupEffort#1.Incomplete c.L_GroupEffort
> #1.Even $controls [pweight=wt_il9], cluster(SubjectID cluster1 cluster2)
(MWFE estimator converged in 1 iterations)
```

HDFE Linear regression	Number of obs	=	6,840
Absorbing 1 HDFE group	F(15, 209)	=	55.06
Statistics robust to heteroskedasticity	Prob > F	=	0.0000
	R-squared	=	0.2606
Number of clusters (SubjectID) =	Adj R-squared	=	0.2590
Number of clusters (cluster1) =	Within R-sq.	=	0.2606
Number of clusters (cluster2) =	Root MSE	=	13.8491

(Std. err. adjusted for 210 clusters in SubjectID cluster1 clu

> ster2)

	IndivEffort	Coefficient	Robust std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. int	
> erval]							
> 693963	Group_t	1.119767	1.813043	0.62	0.537	-2.454428	4.
> 604409	Incomplete	4.486814	1.581428	2.84	0.005	1.36922	7.
> 318128	Group_t#Incomplete 1 1	-4.536829	2.139974	-2.12	0.035	-8.75553	-.
> 5.3123	Strong	13.65349	.8414481	16.23	0.000	11.99468	1
> 1.8667	Group_t#Strong 1 1	-14.54785	1.360038	-10.70	0.000	-17.229	-1
> 203737	Even	4.049013	1.093003	3.70	0.000	1.89429	6.
> 650392	Group_t#Even 1 1	-3.37461	1.577358	-2.14	0.034	-6.48418	-.2
> 087655	L_GroupEffort	.0654966	.0112401	5.83	0.000	.0433382	.
> 450528	Incomplete#c.L_GroupEffort 1	.0139478	.0157783	0.88	0.378	-.0171572	.0
> 361533	Even#c.L_GroupEffort 1	.0106381	.0129428	0.82	0.412	-.0148772	.0
> 206605	Round	-.1905139	.0354338	-5.38	0.000	-.2603672	-.1
> 884929	Experience	-3.907329	1.025881	-3.81	0.000	-5.929729	-1.
> 395018	RiskAverse	-3.460592	1.047781	-3.30	0.001	-5.526165	-1.
> 797205	Female	1.888094	.9684139	1.95	0.053	-.0210176	3.
> 128288	GPA	-2.146336	1.095256	-1.96	0.051	-4.305502	.0
> .49348	_cons	17.81305	3.895967	4.57	0.000	10.13263	25

600 // some tests

601 lincom L_GroupEffort + c.L_GroupEffort#1.Incomplete

(1) L_GroupEffort + 1.Incomplete#c.L_GroupEffort = 0

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
(1)	.0794444	.0115889	6.86	0.000	.0565982	.1022906

602 lincom L_GroupEffort + c.L_GroupEffort#1.Even

(1) **L_GroupEffort + 1.Even#c.L_GroupEffort = 0**

IndivEffort	Coefficient	Std. err.	t	P> t	[95% conf. interval]	
(1)	.0761346	.0121872	6.25	0.000	.052109	.1001603

603 // export results

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